

## Local Weather

Forecast: Generally fair tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature.  
Today's temperatures: 6 a. m., 36; 8 a. m., 46; 1 p. m., 62.

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BERTILLON SYSTEM  
FOR AUTOS IN USE  
BY GOTHAM POLICE

They Have Worked Out a Method of Spotting Any Make and Model at a Glance

## HELPS SPOT STOLEN MACHINES

Organized Auto Thievery Becomes a Genuine Problem in New York

## TRY TO PREVENT CAR LEAVING

Once Thief Gets Out of Town with Stolen Machine He Is Practically Safe

BY FREDERICK J. HASKIN

NEW YORK CITY, May 18.—Suppose that you were a traffic policeman stationed at Brooklyn bridge, in New York city. A continual stream of automobiles is flashing past you, fifteen or twenty to the minute. How many of those cars do you think you could identify by make and model, in addition to performing the regular duties of regulating traffic? How much chance do you think you would have for selecting, say, a 1913 Hudson from the ranks, and identifying it as a car stolen two weeks before.

That is the sort of problem that the police of every big city are finding before them, and New York is attacking it in an organized manner.

**Special Course for Cops**  
Her 200 patrolmen on traffic duty at the city outlets are being given a unique special course in lightning automobile identification. Run twenty different cars past one of these trained men at thirty miles an hour and he will call you the name of the factory and the year of the model as surely as an artist names colors. Give him even a fleeting glimpse of some car vanishing around a distant corner, and the chances are he can tell you its name and whether it is this year's model or last. Some idea of what this means is given by the fact that there are over a hundred different makes of automobiles driven in the New York streets, and practically every one of these makes has been issued in several different models.

The immense growth of the automobile business has brought other problems with it besides the high cost of gasoline. One of the chief of these is the new thief—the motor thief. His favorite field of operations is the big city, and for years he has been reaping a rich and easy harvest. New York's new school for policemen is one big step toward putting an end to his activity.

**Safe Is Hard**  
The motor thief finds the actual stealing of a car the easiest part of his business. It is when he comes to sell it that he encounters real difficulties. That is where the eagle-eyed traffic policeman gets his lining. For the thief is practically forced to take the stolen auto out of the city before he can safely dispose of it. In the limits of Manhattan, the metropolitan police are so thoroughly conversant with the situation, with the addresses of all the "fences" and easy-moraled second-hand dealers who might buy a stolen car if they could get it cheap enough, that the machine is pretty certain to be recovered if it is sold in town. Once it has passed into the country at large, however, the advantages are all with the thief. An automobile is a highly movable piece of property when it is running right, and he may easily take it a thousand miles before he tries to sell it. An instance is on record where a gang of thieves stole cars in New York and sold them in Kentucky.

The logical point to catch the thief is just as he leaves the city in the stolen car. In order to do this, it is necessary for the policeman on duty to be able to recognize the stolen machine from its description at a glance, in addition to performing all his ordinary duties, which are no light ones. The problem is further

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SENATE AGREES TO  
DEFENSE MEASURE

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—The senate after an all day debate agreed Wednesday night to the conference report on the army organization bill without a roll call. The house is expected to approve the report within a day or two and send the first of the big national defense measures to the president.

The bill provides for a regular army of 211,000 officers and men at peace strength and approximately 260,000 at war strength and for a federalized National guard of 457,000 officers and men at maximum strength.

## Fear Grips Youth On Trial For Poisoning Sweetheart



Photos taken during Orpet trial. William Orpet and his father in court (center). Judge Charles H. Donnelly (bottom). Left, attorneys for defense. Top to bottom: Leslie P. Hanna, James S. Wilkerson and Ralph Potter. Right, lawyers for prosecution. Top to bottom: David R. Joslyn, Eugene M. Runyard and Ralph T. Dady.

An outstanding feature of the trial of William H. Orpet, University of Wisconsin student charged in a Waukegan (Ill.) court with the murder by poison of his sweetheart, Marian Lambert, is the nervousness

of the defendant. Before the trial Orpet's attitude was that of cool defiance. But during the early days of the trial he broke down several times and was pale and nervous. The defense will try to prove that the Lambert girl, heart-broken because of Orpet's growing coolness toward her, committed suicide. The dead girl's father, Frank Lambert, has made a statement in which he declares he does not want to see Orpet hanged, but would like to see him sent to prison for "fourteen years or so," to reflect upon his sins. Judge Charles H. Donnelly is presiding at the trial.

DREAMS OF PROMISED  
LAND COME TRUE BUT  
RUDELY SHATTERED

All the stories they used to hear in Poland about the wonderful opportunities of America were more than verified for Tony Maiko and John Palinski when they cashed their railroad pay-checks last night. They walked into the Little Dandy saloon, 217 Pearl street, and laid their checks on the bar. They ordered drinks, and then the bartender showered bills and silver into their hands as change.

John and Tony were awed. They talked about it in whispers. All that money for such a little bit of work! Presently, like millionaires, they strolled forth.

A few hours later America seemed more like home, for a stalwart policeman picked them up and took them, protesting, to Central station. There was their bartender friend, peevishly waving two checks for "28-100 dollars," and talking excitedly to the chief.

Bloolie! went the golden dream of discovery of the Land of Promise. Out of the pockets of Tony and John came the bills and silver. Tearfully they watched it go. Excitedly they denied any attempt at fraud. "No could read!" sputtered Tony. "Not know how much checks."

AUSTRIANS EFFECT  
GREAT OFFENSIVE  
AGAINST ITALIANS

Three Hundred Thousand Men Massed on Thirty-five Mile Front in Tyrol Alps

VIENNA CLAIMS SIGNAL SUCCESSES

Italians Driven Southward on Five Mile Front; Austrians Claim Capture of City

AMSTERDAM, May 18.—Three hundred thousand Austrian troops, concentrated on a thirty-five mile front, are striking against the Italian lines in the Tyrolean Alps in the most determined Austrian offensive against Italy since the war began.

The official dispatches transmitted from Vienna contain no hint as to the exact nature of the operations. Several Berlin military critics intimated today that the Austrians are developing a great offensive and are bent on the invasion of northern Italy.

The fighting is spreading eastward from the Adige river valley across high peaks and rocky plateaus. The Italians have been driven southward on a five mile front from Piazza to the upper Adige valley. The Vienna war office claims the capture of Zegartora, south of Rovereto, though the Italian war office reports the repulse of heavy Austrian attacks at this point.

Losses in the three days of severe fighting have run well into the thousands. The Italian official dispatches report that many enemy bodies have been swept down the swiftly flowing Adige river.

HOUSE COMMITTEE  
KNOCKS BUILDING  
PLAN OF DANIELS

Agrees to Build Five Battle Cruisers Instead of Two Battleships and Two Battle Cruisers

TWENTY SUBMARINES INCLUDED

Program Calls for Expenditure of \$180,000,000; Ten Destroyers Included

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—The house navy committee today knocked out the five year building program advocated by Secretary Daniels and agreed to a construction of five battle cruisers and no battleships instead of two battleships and two battle cruisers, as recommended by the secretary.

The committee's program calls for expenditure of \$180,000,000 in fleet construction. The number of ships recommended by the secretary is increased almost in every class.

Favoring universal disarmament, the committee called on the president to do all within his power to bring about settlement of international disputes by arbitration.

The building program agreed upon follows:  
Five battle cruisers, \$20,433,531  
Four scout cruisers, \$5,571,900 each  
Ten torpedo boat destroyers, \$1,325,314 each  
Twenty submarines, three of \$600 tons and seventeen of a design to be selected by the department, \$1,200,000 each for the former and \$725,000 for the latter.

One hospital ship, \$2,225,000.  
Five fuel ship, \$1,363,272.  
One ammunition ship, \$2,714,652.  
The battle cruisers are to have a speed of 35 knots, 180,000 horsepower and a chief armament of ten 14-inch guns. Eight of the submarines and four destroyers are to be built on the Pacific coast.

MAYOR DELVES IN  
CITY RECORDS FOR  
LIGHT ON BRIDGE

Not Ready for Statement Yet; Working on Theory Right to Maintain Follows Right to Build

ARE ALDERMEN ALSO RESPONSIBLE?

Interesting New Angle Discovers in Section of the Charter Relating to Fines for Council

Occupying a difficult position between the devil, as embodied in Mr. Thomas E. Woolley's injunction threat, and the deep sea, represented by the board of trade committee which is insisting upon action, the city administration is expected to make clear its position tomorrow through Mayor A. Bentley in the matter of repairing the bridges on the road to La Crosse. Mayor Bentley admitted today that he was close to a decision in his research, which has led him back through musty records at the city hall in the quest of all documents relating to the construction of the wagon bridge and the La Crosse road, and the warrant therefor. The mayor has been proceeding on the theory that if there was ever warrant for building the road and bridges, authority for maintaining them is co-extensive and still prevails.

He was not ready to make known his position. In fact, it was learned at the city hall today that the administration has taken no position regarding Mr. Woolley's threat. There is to be an investigation first.

Discussing the reported intention of the board of trade committee to offer them a guarantee against personal loss, in order to induce them to go ahead and call Mr. Woolley's bluff, the mayor said:

"We are not actuated by any fear of personal risk. What we want to do is to get this matter of illegal payments definitely settled. We are glad that the library situation has come to a point where it will be cleared up, and we should be glad to do the same with the La Crosse road."

**Aldermen Liable?**  
An interesting angle was added to the situation today by the discovery of a clause in the city charter which seems to extend the liability for illegal payments to the aldermen, as well as to the mayor, treasurer, comptroller and city clerk.

Section 34 of the charter reads: "Neither the mayor, clerk or comptroller shall sign or issue any city orders or other evidence of debt in excess of the amount which the city is authorized to appropriate. . . . Nor shall the common council or any officer or agent of said city make any appropriation or contract, or create or incur any indebtedness against the city of La Crosse in excess of the amount authorized by the city charter, and every mayor, city clerk, alderman or other officer of the city violating any of the provisions of this section shall forfeit not less than twenty-five nor more than one hundred dollars for each offense."

DID LAMBERT GIRL  
KNOW OF DEADLY  
WORK OF CYANIDE?

Orpet Defense Claims Girl Took Especial Interest in Lesson Dealing on the Poison

## GIRL'S CLASSMATE DENIES IT

Deputies Today Search in Helms Wood for the Vial Which May Be Solution of Mystery

COURTHOUSE, WAUKEGAN, Ill., May 18.—Did Marion Lambert go from the chemistry room in Deerfield township high school Tuesday, February 8, with the knowledge of the deadly properties of cyanide of potassium so firmly imbedded in her brain that she resolved to use this drug to end her young life unless Will Orpet resumed his place in it?

This question is a potent factor, almost the all-important one, which has so far developed in the trial of William H. Orpet here for the murder of the lake shore high school girl.

The defense will contend that she did; that the lesson on the properties and the use of cyanide as assigned by Prof. E. J. Craego of the high school deeply impressed her and gave birth to desperate ideas—suicide.

The state will maintain that this lesson on cyanide had no effect on Marion.

Then the jury will decide whether Marion had made up her mind to take her own life when she strolled blithely and apparently untroubled in mind and body, from the class room for the last time that memorable Tuesday afternoon.

The defense found a witness last night to bear out their contention. He is Raymond Russell, of 704 North Sheridan road, Lake Forest, who remembers the lesson on cyanide of potassium very well.

**Tells of Lesson**  
He told the story last night. Most of it is from Page 203 of McPherson and Henderson's First Course in Chemistry under the chapter heading "Carbon and Its Simpler Compounds."

"Professor Craego assigned this lesson Tuesday morning, February 8. Marion was in the class, but she did not seem to be ill at ease. In fact she giggled at the instructor's remark that the next lesson would be on cyanide of potassium. She was not an exceptionally good student in chemistry and I am sure any close and sudden application to her lessons in this course would have been noticed," said young Russell.

Raymond had the passage, which might mean life or death for Will Orpet, as perhaps it did for Marion Lambert marked as assigned "Tuesday, February 8 for recitation, Thursday, February 10."

Marion attended school all day Tuesday, met Orpet Wednesday morning and lay dead in the snow Thursday morning when her father, searching the woods, came upon her body.

**Seek Vial**  
Emissaries from the defense were seen in Helms woods yesterday afternoon raking the brush from the spot where Marian Lambert's body was found. Attorneys were mum on what their agents were looking for, but it is believed they are trying to find the vial from which Marian either drank or was forced to drink the poison. It is doubted that the state already has this bottle and is saving it for a dramatic point in the case when it will be introduced as the exhibit which will clinch Orpet's guilt and perhaps send him faltering to the gallows.

Orpet's whereabouts the night before he met Marian Lambert in Helms Woods are not a mystery, according to the defense. The boy's counsel this morning refused to comment on the story in one newspaper that a secret midnight tryst with Orpet, Marian and Josephine Davis was held that Tuesday night. The defense will probably stick to the defendant's story that he roamed through the woods all night, unless the state proves conclusively that the student slept in the garage on the McCormick estate, where his father's supply of insect killing cyanide of potassium was kept.

States Attorney Dady admitted today that he had received letters threatening his political ruin if Orpet is convicted. Rather than easing up the slightest in the prosecution it is expected that Prosecutor Dady will redouble his efforts to convict the young man if politics are going to be an issue.

**Panel Exhausted**  
Deputy sheriffs who spent the entire night rounding up venemen in every hamlet of the county, seeking the new panel of 100 ordered by Judge Charles Donnelly late yesterday, expressed the belief today that an impartial jury cannot be secured in Lake county. Out of nearly 200 jury prospects questioned, only four had been tentatively accepted when court opened today and they are subject to the thirty-six peremptory challenges the state and defense have in store.

MAYO WILL SUCCEED  
ADMIRAL FLETCHER  
AS FLEET COMMANDER

"Happy" Can Go But County Will Sue For His Fine

Schlachbach Evolves Plan to Put La Crosse Clutches on Green's Minnesota Estate

"Happy" Green will get out of the county jail tomorrow. He will not pay his \$300 fine, either. But the legless auto speeder won't be through with the wheels of justice, even though he is allowed to go unmolested. District Attorney Otto M. Schlachbach has evolved a plan whereby he believes he can collect "Happy's" fine.

Formal notice of "Happy's" failure to pay his fine will be made to the court, and a judgment for his debt to the county will be secured, according to Schlachbach's outline of his plan. The sheriff will be given the judgment. When he returns it, unpaid, as is expected, the district attorney will file a claim in the district court of Houston county, Minn., against the Hokah youth.

Thus, says the county counsel, the limless one will find that La Crosse can reach over the river and put its fingers on his Minnesota estate. "Happy's" only recourse will be to prove the fine unjust, and it seemed possible today that "Happy's" trial in county court here may be repeated on his own ground.

PERMANENT BABY  
WELFARE STATION  
URGED ON MOTHERS

Lasting Benefit of Baby Week Must Come from Women Says Miss Olmsted

NEED GREATEST IN SMALL TOWNS

Ignorance Which Kills the Babies Most Prevalent in Rural Communities

A plea for a permanent infant welfare station in La Crosse, as a result of the Baby Week campaign, was made by Miss Katherine Olmstead, of Milwaukee, field nurse of the University Extension division, in the course of an address at the Baby week meeting at the Congregational church last evening. "And whatever is done," said Miss Olmstead, "it must come from the women. When the women know what they want, they will find a way to get it."

"It would be a pity," began the speaker, "if we were to allow this Baby Week, so successful as it has been all over Wisconsin, pass without deriving some permanent benefit from it. The campaign was inaugurated with two distinct aims. First, to let every mother and every community know what the baby needs in that community; second, to try and get every community interested in following up the campaign and starting some permanent welfare work for the benefit of the baby."

**Fifteen Die Daily**  
"When we realize that out of 142 babies born in Wisconsin every day fifteen die it seems terrible, and when we realize that one-half of these babies die from causes absolutely preventable and for which we are responsible, it seems we should do something."

"In Wisconsin the babies are not dying from the heat as in the south; they are not dying from overcrowded conditions as in the east. In Wisconsin they are dying from ignorance and neglect, rather than from poverty. And more of them are dying in the small towns and cities and in the rural communities than in our one large city. We have found the appalling fact that forty percent of the children in Wisconsin were born without any medical care or nursing."

"This is what we must fight. I hope every mother, every man, every woman, may go home from this meeting feeling that they are responsible in some way for this terrible death rate."

**Many Are Sickly**  
"It is not only the death rate we must look to. Two thousand babies died from preventable diseases in Wisconsin last year, and for every death there is an average of twenty-eight sick babies. Think of the crippled, maimed and sickly children in the schools. When we think that all these diseases can be prevented we women must take the responsibility. The women are more responsible than the men, and when the women

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MAN WHO INSISTED HUERTA SALUTE THE FLAG IS PROMOTED

Entire Atlantic Fleet to Be Reorganized; Fletcher Detailed to Important Shore Duty

## NO INTIMATION OF SHAKUPE

Fletcher in June Will Have Served Usual Time of Service in His Position

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—Following a conference between Secretary of the Navy Daniels and President Wilson today it was learned the Atlantic fleet will be reorganized and a new commander named to succeed Admiral Fletcher.

Admiral Mayo will succeed Admiral Fletcher. The change will be made June 19. Rear Admiral D. W. Coffman of the seventh division will succeed Mayo and the detail of Fletcher to important shore service will be announced later. Fletcher in June will have completed about the usual time of service in his position—one year and nine months.

Mayo is the man who precipitated the trouble with Huerta which resulted in the occupation of Vera Cruz by American forces. Mayo insisted that Huerta salute the American flag because of the arrest of American marines at Tampico, when they went ashore to get mail. Later marines were landed at Vera Cruz and Admiral Fletcher was in command of that movement.

MANY OUTSIDERS  
COMING TO SEE  
GREAT PAGEANT

Dubuque High School Will Dismiss Tomorrow to Allow Students to Witness Big Event

## SPECIAL TRAIN FROM TOMAH

Study Is Abandoned at High School This Week and All Concentrate on Preparations

Students at the high school have been looking at the Shakespeare pageant as a sort of holiday. Today an announcement in general assembly changed their opinion, somewhat. They have begun to consider the pageant an important and significant event.

The announcement which operated to increase the importance of the pageant in the eyes of the student actors who are to take part was to the effect that the Dubuque, Iowa, high school is to be dismissed tomorrow, in order that the students may have an opportunity to come to La Crosse for the historical spectacle. This was coupled with the announcement that a special train will bring a delegation of Tomah people to La Crosse for the occasion.

Interest in studies at the high school has waned for the past week. Everyone talks and thinks of pageant, even the teachers having in a measure put aside the unimportant work of instruction to toil at costumes and drill historic groups. The gymnasium and auditorium are in use every period for training the many groups of dancers and masquers, and the field is busy as an ant-hill every day after school.

To those who have not purchased programs, which are really essential for a complete understanding of the various groups and events of the pageant, opportunity will present itself in the guise of jesters. The jesters will start along the line of march half an hour before the pageant is scheduled to set out from the high school, which is at 2 o'clock.

The procession will be at least a mile long. It will be marshalled by Messrs. Puckett and Hackett of the faculty.

## SUNDAY TO HAVE OPERATION

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 18.—Billy Sunday will go to Baltimore immediately after his last sermon here for an operation. The evangelist is suffering from a double hernia, brought on by his strenuous work.





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## TOMAH FROG SHOP EMPLOYEES ARE GIVEN INCREASE

Milwaukee Road Employees at Monroe County City Get Raise Which Took Effect Monday

TOMAH, Wis., May 18.—(Special.)—The employees of the Milwaukee road frog shop were given a substantial raise in pay the first of the week which took effect May 15.

**Local and Personal**  
Messrs. Donagan, state highway commissioner, and Frederick H.

## LA CROSSE ASTONISHED BY SIMPLE MIXTURE

La Crosse people are astonished at the INSTANT action of simple Buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mixed in Adler-I-ka. ONE SPOONFUL removes such surprising foul matter it relieves almost ANY CASE, constipation, sour stomach or gas. Because Adler-I-ka acts on BOTH lower and upper bowel, a few doses often relieve or prevent appendicitis. A short treatment helps chronic stomach trouble. Hoeschler Bros., Druggists.

Johnson county commissioner, were in Tomah Wednesday. They were looking over the macadam roads for necessary repairs.

Judge Richards held probate court in Tomah on Tuesday.

Herman Bongers went to Rochester, Minn., Tuesday to enter the hospital for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Naylor went to Milwaukee Tuesday. After a few days there, they will go to Chicago and from there expect to take an extended trip to South Carolina and other points, combining business and pleasure.

Mrs. W. H. Roberts has returned from Florida, where she spent the winter with her son and family.

Mrs. J. P. Deinhart, Mrs. E. C. Van Wie, Mrs. L. W. Earle, Mrs. J. G. Smith, Mrs. Chet Stevens, Mrs. George Ubele went to the club convention at Sparta on Tuesday and Wednesday.

A number of Tomah young ladies are planning a Leap Year dance to be given in McCaul's hall on Friday, May 27th.

Charles Schreiter of Appleton, spent a few days in the city.

Miss Ada Turner of Janesville, spent Monday in the city the guest of Mrs. W. W. Warren. Miss Turner, who is the field worker for the school for the blind at Janesville, was on her way to Sparta with exhibits from the school. From Sparta, Miss Turner went to La Crosse, where she is conducting a sale of the work done by the blind children this week.

As long as it is only talk, let the other fellow have his way. Why

## SON OF ONE TIME PERU PRESIDENT KILLED IN EUROPE

PARIS, May 18.—Jose Garcia Calderon, son of ex-President Calderon of Peru, was an over Sunday visitor with friends.

L. F. Granzow of Eastman, transacted business here Monday.

John Garrity was in Gays Mills Tuesday on business.

B. V. Preus of La Crosse, spent Sunday in the city with friends.

George Hoke, Jr., of Richland Center, Wis., is in the city attending to business matters.

Mrs. Charles A. Armstrong left on Wednesday morning for a week's visit with friends at Milwaukee.

J. E. Earll returned Tuesday morning from a business trip to Chicago.

Joseph Lacin of Monona, Iowa, was in the city on business Tuesday.

T. F. McCloskey has moved in the Charles Mesling home in the First ward.

Tom Ferris of Steuben, Wis., was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

A. A. Horning, the photographer of McGregor, Iowa, transacted business in the city Thursday.

Frank Drinkwater of Bridgeport, Wis., was a Prairie business caller Wednesday.

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Ralph Glenn was the guest of Sam Anderson in La Crosse from Friday to Monday attending the high school junior prom and other social affairs.

The ladies of Holy Trinity Epis-

## PRAIRIE DU CHIEN MAKES READY TO WELCOME KNIGHTS

Knights of Columbus Arrange for Big Program on Sunday when the New Council Is Installed

PRAIRIE MAY BE ON "TRAIL"

Auto Trail Association Arranges for Meeting to Have Town on Madison Highway

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN, Wis., May 18.—(Special.)—Big preparations are being made for the Knights of Columbus events, which will be held here next Sunday when they install a council.

It is expected that nearly 100 Knights, including high officers from outside cities will be in attendance. The program which is being sent out is as follows:

9:00 a. m.—Meet at Grand Opera house.

9:30 a. m.—March to St. Gabriel's church.

10:00 a. m.—High mass; sermon by Rev. Father Scherman.

11:30 a. m.—Lunch.

12:30 p. m.—Meet at Grand Opera house.

12:45 p. m.—March to Campion college.

1:00 p. m.—First degree followed by second and third degrees.

7:30 p. m.—Banquet at Grand Opera house.

A special train will leave La Crosse at 10 a. m. and returning leave Prairie du Chien at 11 p. m.

**Wants Meeting**  
The McGregor Auto Trails association is trying to arrange a meeting with the City club here to discuss the proposition of organizing an auto route from McGregor through Prairie du Chien to Madison, which may later become a part of the proposed national park highway.

They wish to have a joint meeting Friday, June 3rd at which time all matters pertaining to the highway would be considered.

If a meeting can be arranged McGregor promises to have a large representation present.

**Editor Pays Visit**  
Anton Huebsch, editor of the North Iowa Times, Henry Larsen and Jack Krames, of South McGregor, were in the city on business Tuesday.

**Miss Honzel Weds**  
Miss Mamie Honzel, formerly of this city, and residing at Dubuque with her parents, who recently moved there, was married on Monday in that city to Jack McLaughlin, employed by C. & J. Michel Brewing company. After a visit with his parents at Elkader, Iowa, they will go to New York City for a short honeymoon trip and will be at home to their friends in this city about June 15th. They will occupy the Chamber's residence on South Minnesota street recently occupied by Dave Sleightman.

**May Festival**  
Pupils of St. Gabriel's school will give a May Festival at the Parish hall Tuesday, May 30th from 3:30 p. m. to 9 p. m.

**Trinity Wins**  
In a very interesting game Trinity college baseball team of Sioux City, Iowa, defeated Keewatin academy of this city on Wednesday by the score of 7 to 4.

**Local and Personal**  
Mrs. Sam Williams was in Dubuque a few days the past week.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Congregational church met at the home of Mrs. John Herold on South Main street, Thursday afternoon.

Ellen Thompson of Ferryville, Wis., is visiting friends here.

John Fitzgerald was a business visitor at La Crosse Monday.

W. A. Nicholson of Waukon, Ia., was here Tuesday.

Mary Sternad of Milwaukee, arrived Monday for a few days' visit.

J. Noem of La Crosse, was an over Sunday visitor with friends.

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## NORMAL CHORAL SOCIETY TO GIVE CANTATA TONIGHT

The Wedding Feast of Hiawatha by Coleridge-Taylor which is to be sung by the Normal Choral society this evening, is a short cantata requiring only three-quarters of an hour for its production. One of the reasons for this lies in the fact that the choral parts are continuous and are both divided into separate choruses as in the Messiah.

The program this evening will consist of two parts. Part one will be the following groups of songs by Mr. Grant Kimball of Chicago, the tenor soloist for the occasion:

I  
a—"Where'er You Walk" (Sem-ele) Handel  
b—"Der Sandraeger" Bungen  
c—"An den Mondnacht" Bohm  
d—"E Lucevan le Stelle" (Tosca)

II  
a—"Lolita" Buzzi Peccia  
b—"Mary" Richardson  
c—"An Explanation" Coleridge-Taylor  
d—"Duna" McGill  
e—"Where Blossoms Grow" San Souci

Part two of the program will be "Hiawatha."

## WILSON APPROVES EFFORT TO HELP NATION'S INDUSTRY

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—President Wilson puts his O. K. on the federal trade commissions' endorsement of trade associations, manufacturers' associations and other similar organizations, in a letter to Vice-chairman Edward N. Hurley of the commission, made public today.

If the United States is to be an important factor in the markets of the world she must be more thorough and efficient in production, the president says. He appeals to the commission to continue to co-operate with the business men of the country, to keep down the mortality rate among American industries and to assist the small manufacturer and dealer to better his condition by aiding him to improve cost accounting and bookkeeping methods.

**VOTE FOR CHAPLIN**

PHILADELPHIA, Pa. May 18.—Charlie Chaplin, famous "movie" comedian, figured in the Pennsylvania primaries, it was discovered on Wednesday. Some republican can voter ignored Brumbaugh, Ford and "T. R." and wrote Chaplin's name as his choice for the next president of the United States.

pal church held Guild at their hall Wednesday afternoon. Mesdames Fallis, Earll and Clinton were the hostesses.

J. E. Harris made a business trip to Wauzeka Monday.

Elmer Groves of Montana, visited Wednesday with Judge Jerry O'Neill, enroute for a visit with relatives at Gay's Mills.

Mrs. Will Wagner is spending the week at Dubuque, Iowa, the guest of friends.

J. Swiggum of Ferryville, Wis., was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn Taylor of La Crosse, Wis., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. S. Coken.

Mrs. Leek of Avoca, Wis., who has been visiting at the Wm. Steinbach home, returned to her home on Wednesday.

**CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY**

Mother's value their own comfort and the welfare of their children, should never be without a box of Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children, for use throughout the season. They Break up Colds, Relieve Feverishness, Constipation, Teething Disorders, Headache and Stomach Troubles. Used by Mothers for 28 years. THESE POWDERS NEVER FAIL. Sold by all Drug Stores. Do Not Accept any substitute. Sample mailed FREE. Address, Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

## MONUMENT TO SOLDIER DEAD AT M'GREGOR

Will Be Dedicated During Memorial Day Celebration at Pleasant Grove Cemetery; Kuehnle Speaks

M'GREGOR, Iowa, May 18.—(Special.)—The new \$2,000 soldiers' monument to the soldier dead of McGregor and vicinity will be dedicated Memorial day. Carl F. Kuehnle of Denison, candidate for governor on the republican ticket, will give the address. The exercises will be held in Buell park. D. W. Meier of the board of county supervisors will present the monument to the Commercial club and the G. A. R. and Dr. H. H. Clark, commander of Harvey Dix post, will respond on the part of the G. A. R. and Senator Robert Quigley on the part of the Commercial club.

A program of music consisting of numbers by the McGregor band, a chorus, a male quartet and soloists will be given. A committee of the Commercial club consisting of Dr. H. H. Clark, R. Quigley, F. G. Bell, A. Clemens and W. J. Knowles is in charge of the ceremonies which are to be conducted under the auspices of that organization.

Veterans from Monona and other points in Clayton county will attend. The monument stands 20 feet 6 inches high in a circle park on elevated ground at the end of the Main drive into Pleasant Grove cemetery.

It is six feet square at the base. A six foot statue of bronze showing an infantryman of 1861 at parade surmounts the base.

Four bronze tablets are placed on the first die; on the north face is the emblem of the G. A. R., Harvey Dix post, No. 371; on the south face, emblem of the W. R. C., Harvey Dix post, No. 6; on the east face, Lincoln medalion with portion of Gettysburg speech; on west face, the dedication. On the east and west faces of the second base are placed tablets inscribed with the names of the 68 veterans who are buried in the cemeteries in this locality.

The McGregor soldiers' monument is the third to be erected in Clayton county. The others are at Strawberry Point and Monona.

**Local and Personal**  
Mrs. Mabel Dunlap Curry of Terre Haute, Ind., is spending four days in Clayton county this week speaking for suffrage and making her headquarters at McGregor. Mrs. Curry was formerly an instructor in Purdue university and has been a lecturer on the Chautauqua platform for some time.

Two rural schoolhouse meetings have been held by the McGregor Equal Suffrage league and others are planned to supplement the town meetings which are conducted by speakers from away. The rural meetings are advertised by telephone and the local league members attend them in a decorated car. Besides several talks by speakers a couple of musical numbers are given. Suffrage sermons were preached in the churches Sunday. A suffrage play will be given at the moving picture theater tomorrow night, the equal suffrage league to be given half the proceeds from sale of tickets.

Miss Elizabeth Bell left for the east the latter part of the week for a visit with relatives in New York.

W. A. Meyer has purchased a lot on McGregor Heights and is erecting a summer cottage.

The city council has appointed a committee to look into the matter

of placing boulevard lights on Main street.

C. F. Kramer has purchased the lot on Main street east of the F. D. Hatch grocery store and will erect a new store building as quarters for his drug business.

The McGregor Auto Trails association will hold another meeting May 22, when A. E. Nissen, supervisor of the Burlington Way and other auto trails leading to the national park site, will be present and final plans will be made for blazing and marking roads into McGregor.

Some men who run for office ought to be made to run the gantlet.

**Alkali in Soap Bad For the Hair**

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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**APRIL 9163**  
DAILY AVERAGE

1—Sat	9,245	16—Sunday	9,146
2—Sunday	9,151	17—Mon	9,154
3—Mon	9,151	18—Tues	9,154
4—Tues	9,161	19—Wed	9,160
5—Wed	9,158	20—Thur	9,160
6—Thur	9,152	21—Fri	9,146
7—Fri	9,184	22—Sat	9,162
8—Sat	9,152	23—Sunday	9,156
9—Sunday	9,152	24—Mon	9,156
10—Mon	9,150	25—Tues	9,166
11—Tues	9,156	26—Wed	9,163
12—Wed	9,167	27—Thur	9,156
13—Thur	9,172	28—Fri	9,156
14—Fri	9,151	29—Sat	9,162
15—Sat	9,158	30—Sunday	9,162

Total.....229,084  
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L. Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of April, 1916, was as above stated.

*Frank H. Burgess*  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of May, 1916.

*James Thompson*  
Notary Public.

**WEATHER**  
U. S. Weather Bureau

Sunrise tomorrow, 4:55 a. m.  
Sunset tomorrow, 7:28 p. m.

**Temperatures Yesterday**  
High, 57; Low, 36; Precipitation, 0.

**Forecasts**  
For Wisconsin: Generally fair to night and Friday. Not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota: Partly cloudy to night and Friday. Warmer Friday west and south portions.

For Iowa: Partly cloudy tonight and Friday, probably with showers Friday and west portion tonight. Slightly warmer tonight.

**Weather Conditions**  
The pressure continues slow in the extreme northeast but the weather has become fair. The southwestern low has moved to southeastern Texas causing general rains throughout the west and central Gulf states. A third low is central over Utah and rain is falling in the west Plateau region. The pressure is highest over the central Plains states and central Mississippi valley.

Fair weather prevails in the northern and central districts with but little change in temperature.

The weather will be generally fair in this section tonight and Friday with a slight moderation in the temperature.

**DAILY RIVER BULLETIN**

**Flood Stage Height Change**

St. Paul	14	10.8	-0.3
Reeds Landing	12	7.6	-0.1
La Crosse	12	9.6	-0.1
Lansing	18	11.0	-0.1
Prairie du Chien	18	11.4	-0.3
Keokuk	15	14.5	-0.7
St. Louis	30	25.2	-0.9
New Orleans	18	15.0	-0.2

**River Forecast**  
St. Paul to La Crosse: There will be no material change in the river stage during the next 36 hours.

**The Searchlight**

**USEFUL KITE FLYING**  
The weather bureau has equipped a unique kite flying station eighteen miles west of Oklahoma, where a number of men are engaged daily in sending up large kites three or four miles into the air. This is to secure definite knowledge of atmospheric conditions which may effect weather changes and will also be useful later in arranging aeronautic courses. The kites are sent up by the men, but they require a strong electrically operated reel to draw them to earth again. The reel is thoroughly insulated, because the kites are flown upon copper wires which conduct the natural electricity of the atmosphere and could give the operator a serious shock if all contacts were not thoroughly protected.

Appropriate  
"I expect to raise my voice for our friends at the convention," remarked the willing worker.

"Don't bother," rejoined Senator Sorghum, "raise funds."

## SOMETHING TO WORK OUT

Joyously we reveal our enthusiastic contempt for the growing "Injunction Squad" that with legal processes threatens every new indication that the municipal government is about to function. Their motives we shall not analyze, for 'twere an effort too microscopic. In each case, were we to take the telescopic view, probably we should arrive at "Sharlee Weyland's" idea that "his cosmos is all ego", which is in no case too severe.

With Mayor Bentley's defensive position—a determination to defeat injunctions in advance by strict conformity with law—we have had not only patience, but sympathy. As mere resentment of the impertinences to which His Honor has been subjected, his policy could have no standing, for that would be a personal matter. But the policy he adopted seemed to be justified from the official angle, not as a permanent program, but as a basis of temporary security pending necessary relief measures.

The mayor can defend his position as long as he can show that he has acted with full appreciation of all that his stand involves, and with a purpose to proceed immediately to suitable means of relief from conditions that, if continuous, would be intolerable.

We reject now, as we have heretofore rejected, the suggestion that there are those who are seeking to "use" the mayor's office to make the present situation a means of bringing about a restoration of the bridge tolls. We reject every insinuation of selfish, personal motives. We leave the matter where the mayor placed it, on the ground of an immediate fortification to be used as a base for operations from which must come new and improved conditions. This implies action. Upon the vigor and success of that action rests the fame of the present administration. Negative periods of public service seldom repeat themselves in a democracy.

## STRAYS FROM DEMOCRACY

President Wilson's observation of men in the diplomatic service that "some grow, others swell", is a contribution to presidential epigram that would have made the press speech worth while even had not the president delivered himself of the following analysis of the American attitude:

There are two reasons why the chief wish of Americans is for peace. One is that they love peace and have nothing to do with the present quarrel, and the other is that they believe the present quarrel has carried those engaged in it so far that they can not be held to ordinary standards of responsibility and that, therefore, as some men have expressed it to me, since the rest of the world is mad, why should we not simply refuse to have anything to do with the rest of the world in the ordinary channels of action? Why not let the storm pass and then when it is all over have the reckonings?

Knowing that from both these two points of view the passion of America was for peace, I was, nevertheless, aware that America is one of the nations of the world, a nation that grows more and more powerful almost in spite of herself; that grows morally more and more influential even when she is not aware of it; and that if she is to play the part which she most covets it is necessary that she should act more or less from the point of view of the rest of the world.

President Wilson has captured and set down the American view point—the people's attitude—with his usual nicety of expression, but of greater significance is the self-analysis to which, perhaps unconsciously, he subjects himself. The latter of the two paragraphs suggests it, and a preceding paragraph made things very plainly indeed. Again we quote:

You can imagine the strain upon the feeling of any man who is trying to interpret the spirit of his country when he feels that the spirit can not have its own way beyond a certain point.

Plainly, the president believes he was elected by the people to save them from themselves, even in as great a matter as their desire for peace. How else interpret "the spirit of the country"? Can not have its own way beyond a certain point? Not thy will, but mine, O people!

It is possible that even so eminently worthy a president as Woodrow Wilson may find that, after all, "the spirit of the country" CAN "have its own way".

## THEY'LL ALL BE THERE

The Wisconsin republican state central committee, which is conservative, selected a group of most charming gentlemen of its own political ilk to serve as alternates for the delegates to the national convention. We are not at all certain that the progressive soil produces more attractive personalities than these chosen to be honored, and having in mind two old clowns of La Crosse, a democrat and a republican, whose mutual devotion survived the oft re-echoed fact that the republican pal would "vote for a yellow dog, etc."—having all this in mind we hasten to secure our vote by similar protection, while still we concede the distinguished amiability of the gentlemen so appropriately appointed.

But, after all, has not the state central committee, in bestowing an honor, subjected its recipients to embarrassment?

For instance: Mr. Gordon is alternate for Mr. Houser; Mr. Kurtenacker for Mr. Dahl. Houser and Dahl were elected on a pledge to vote for La Follette. Acting as alternates for these two men, Messrs. Gordon and Kurtenacker would be bound by their pledges. We'll leave it to our good friend, Mr. Gordon, from how many stories up he would jump to avoid voting for La Follette's nomination for the presidency? Some jump, gentlemen—some jump!

But why borrow trouble? When, at luncheon yesterday, his attention was called to the list of alternates, "Jim" Thompson disposed of the unhappy alternative with a luxurious grin.

"I never felt better in my life," said Mr. Thompson.

## Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Schiller's Neutrality

The following story, is going the rounds of the continental papers, including even those of Austria.

A German and a Dane met recently in Schiller's house in Weimar. As they stood gazing reverently on the scene, the German, swelling with pride, remarked to his fellow visitor: "So this is where our national poet, Schiller, lived?"

"Pardon me," said the other, "not national, but international."

"How so?" inquired the German with surprise.

"Why, consider his works," the Dane replied. "He wrote 'Mary Stuart' for the English, 'The Maid of Orleans' for the French, 'Egmont' for the Dutch, 'William Tell' for the Swiss."

"And what did he write for the Germans, pray?" broke in the other. Pat came the Dane's answer:

"For the Germans he wrote 'The Robbers.'"—London Opinion.

Dickens Too Industrious

Pasted on the window of a second-hand bookstore was the sign, "Porter wanted," and within the window against a stack of books the placard "Dickens works all this week for \$3."

A passerby, out of work, read first one and then the other, scratched his head, and remarked grimly, "Dickens may take the job. He can work all the week for \$3 if he wants to, but I'm a union man and I won't touch it. You'd better stick to Dickens."

Secret of Harmony

Pull together. This is the real secret of harmony. There is a story of a man who had committed the care of one of his teams to a faithful servant for years. At last one of the horses sickened and died. While the servant was burying the faithful animal, the other horse came across the field and stood by, watching the work as a silent mourner.

The master said: "I believe Dick loved Billy."

Instantly the servant replied: "Of course he did, massa; why, they pulled together nigh twenty years."

A Truthful Child

A Chicago man tells of calling on a young lady very early one spring morning. He had come in his big automobile, and he wanted to give the young lady a morning spin through the country. A little girl, the young lady's niece, answered the bell.

"Is your auntie in," asked the man.

"Yes, sir."

"That's good. Where is she?"

"She's upstairs," said the little girl, "in her nightie, looking over the banisters."

Called the Turn

Old Lady (who has just heard his tale of woe)—Ah, poor man, you must indeed have gone through some dreadful trials!

Hen Doolittle—I believe yer, mum, an' what's more, mum, I was always convicted!

## THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY TRAVELETTE

(By Nikkah)

**GNATONG**

Now and again the world traveler stumbles on some out-of-the-way nook in a far country that lights up in a single flash all the dusty volumes that have been written on the conquest of the world by the white-skinned races. Such a nook is the little, lonely lost fort of Gnatong on the slope of the Himalayas.

The very landscape seems to stamp the hold that European conquerors have laid on the country as impertinent presumption. The fort lies at the foot of a ring of mountains, and the fort itself is more than 12,000 feet high. There are not many peaks in North America higher. Yet the little cantonment is dwarfed to nothingness by the rocky masses about it. Towering to the northward, seemingly a stone's throw away in the clear atmosphere is great Kichenjunga, the highest peak in the world excepting only Mount Everest. A whole rank of lesser spires rises from the foot of the mountain, and the fort is capped to right and left of the giant.

About the mountains is a vast calm and dignity—the dignity of open spaces, of endless distance and massive bulk. A storm that rises in the snow-fields may travel furiously for miles, and seem only a dark, insignificant blur on the placid white surface. Great forests of evergreen that clothe the flanks of the mountains dwindle to a green fur in the clear distance. Everything is on a scale so gigantic that the unaccustomed eye loses all sense of proportion, refuses to accept the steep-sided cleft as a valley walled with thousand-foot precipices, or the patch of green on the farther side as a forest it would take a day to traverse.

The fort itself was formerly the home of a little English garrison. The visitor wonders how these men spent the days and months out from the world save for the passing traders bound for Tibet, and the post that came when snow and storm permitted. He wonders what changes in men's minds are worked by long silent hours with such immensities of height and distance continually before the eye. Wherever his gaze turns it is confronted by the same immensity and grandeur. The view is one of the noblest imaginable, but after a few weeks of it, the English officer must have longed for a sight of comfortable cropped green meadows, flat and home-like, circled by well-trimmed hedges.

## JOHN THE FOOL

An American Romance

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"Sans a bath, I fancy," I murmured, but he but saw my lips move. Then I shifted squarely about on him: "Come—come—what are you up to?"

He shrugged. "I tumbled about the mewing affairs of five or six of your Latin American republics for thirty years. There was not much in it save a woman now and then, who appreciated me—who could interpret a bow after the manner, who caught the merest phrase I could offer—to whom one could give service, in fact. Now and then one who saw me with her mind's eye in a background of old rose and mahogany and not a dirty plunderer from the seven seas. But that is passed—at times since then I've had to wash my own shirt—my shirt, messieurs—not the shirts. But here I have come back to the south coast where—" He broke off and looked strangely out of his forest glade to the far gulf reefs: "It is at least sixty years since hereabout I just escaped being hanged."

"Still," I pursued, "why here again? What has Barataria to offer—your slaves and privateers have been gone three-quarters of a century."

"Ah, what should it be? Here, at the end of the rainbow I stumbled upon it."

"The pot of gold?"

"Banal! No—never! What would that be to me—at eighty-eight? No! I told you the exquisite thing for a gentleman—a service and a love."

"What? What?" I stared at him. The wood saint within was tinkling the glasses.

"No—no! For shame, Doctor! But I came upon them—my man, Allesandro, first apprised me that one of the old Drouillot line held to Isle Bone. And then I came—we camped a week with that insufferable old bourgeois, Prosper. Ah, there is a come-down, let me tell you, from Armand Drouillot of our old free companions; from Placide, the pirate, who fought with Jackson at Chalmette, from Gaspard Boulogny de Drouillot who was granted lands hereabout extending from the river to the sea for the aid he gave Bernardo de Galvez, the fourth Spanish viceroys of Louisiana, in capturing Mobile from the English—ah, from that chivalier they have degenerated to Prosper, the crab-fisher! And here I discover the last of the Louisiana line, my lady, coupled up with this doddering grandpère who sits stirring his coffee like a damned canjion while the Yankees plunder her island! Infamously! I said—intolerable! To me—I, who, with my own eyes, have seen the signature of Charles the Third of Spain to the warrants that gave the lands to the first chevalier! At once I saw what I must do—old life and loves and fighting poured back through my veins. We built our camp here on what was left of Chienere John-the-Fool, and when I found, as the final indignity of Prosper, that he was trying to marry his grandchild to a barber, I straightway challenged him. But he had nothing save his infernal crab-hook to fight me with, and besides he looked in a book from your Washington government, and decided the law would not allow him to fight. Law—bah! All I could do was to sit here and try to charm my marquis away from him and his influence. I must build her anew, teach her the French of courts, and not this abominable patois of the south coast. She can speak French or English well enough save when she is excited, as you may have observed, and then she will make you tear your hair. Her mind and her manners—ah, I have done marvels with her in the four years I have captivated her. Barber be damned—I will slit his throat, I will burn old Prosper out and sack his house before she shall wed a barber. A fortune, that is what we need. I would show her courts and promenades—she should hear the phrases of gallants, and laugh at the loveliness of silks and laces. She is beautiful! Ah, if I had my youth again."

From the palmetto that he drew some soiled old wrappings and from these he unrolled a scabbard and then a sword of wondrous art. It was rarely old, and sprung like a line of light in his fingers. He came to sit again and caressed the frayed tassels thoughtfully. "I've swum five times from sinking ships with this, have buried it six to keep it from captors. When I come to die, messieurs, I hope to have strength to throw it from me into clean green water of the open sea."

"Messieurs le Baron," I put in, "I took you this morning for an abominable fraud! I apologize."

He waved his pipe: "I appreciated you at once, Doctor!"

"But, ah, me! You're fighting a big land company as well as a barber to retrieve the fortunes of your lady. That honorable blade of yours, you can not well stick it into an entire board of directors in New York."

He flourished it grandly. "No matter! It is to live nobly, whatever the end of fortune. The greatest fighters are the greatest losers. And as for the barber—he wiped his sword across his rusty trousers—"I would not pollute this with his canjion blood; but I will order my men to stick him headfirst in the mud if he ever comes back. And Laure—I have all but shattered his memory in

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## NEWS NOTES FROM MOVIELAND

Photo-play fans who remember G. M. Anderson and his famous "Broncho Billy" series, will not fail to recall the delightful little lady who played opposite him in his cowboy pictures. She is Marguerite Clayton, and since Anderson quit pictures she has been playing leads in multiple-reel features like "A Daughter of the City" and "Vultures of Society."

Miss Clayton is an extremely pretty girl with a remarkable head of golden hair and with blue eyes. She was born in Salt Lake City in 1896, and upon graduating from convent school in 1913 was almost immediately engaged by Anderson for the feminine lead in the western dramas. Late in 1915 she was transferred to the Essanay studio in Chicago.

Miss Clayton finds the saddle her principal pleasure. She is known about the studios as the girl with the million-dollar smile. Her motto is, "Keep Smiling."

**Champion "Nut" Has Been Found**  
Of all the various brands of "nuts" the action picture scenario writing "nut" stands supreme. Like any other film star, Clara Kimball Young receives hundreds of queer manuscripts, fondly labeled "scenarios" but one that came in last week deserves special attention. In fact it wasn't a scenario but a letter about one entitled "Detained in a Mad House, or the Adventures of Bessie."

The writer didn't send the story, he said, because he didn't trust the mails.

"But," he said, "if you want to come and see me I will read it to you. The postmark was Lebanon, Pa."

The man who teaches the science of staying on top of the water, or living beneath the surface, is indeed one to be envied at Santa Barbara. All the charming little leading ladies visit the "Baths" regularly each afternoon, don their attractive, though businesslike suits, and learn to swim.

Gladys Hanson is married to Charles Emerson Cook. The wedding took place in Atlanta, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will live in New York.

Marguerite Courtot lives in a bungalow at Jacksonville, Fla., with her mother and sister, nor far from the Gaumont studio.

It is estimated that 1,000,000 people trace their source of income to photoplays.

Seena Owen, the Fine Arts actress, is taking a short vacation resting in the hills of Colorado.

**Marguerite Clayton.**  
She is favorably known for her work in "A Daughter of the City" and "Vultures of Society," high class multiple-reel photoplays; also for her work opposite G. M. Anderson in the "Broncho Billy" series.

**VERSE AND REVERSE**

**Recollections**  
Backward, turn backward,  
O time in thy flight,  
Make me a boy again,  
Just for a night,  
Give me one slice of  
The blueberry pie  
My mother once made, to  
Enjoy ere I die.  
Please knock off three decades  
And give me one chance  
To strutt once more in my  
First pair of long pants.  
Just let me play hooky  
And stay out of school,  
And plunge once again in  
The old swimmin' pool.  
Please loosen one moment  
Your fettering chain  
And let me enjoy my  
First circus again.  
Just let me go back to  
A joy that's immense,  
To that old knothole in  
The center field fence.  
But father's old trunk strap,  
I care naught about,  
And if you don't mind, you  
Can just leave that out.

needs a lover—a dozen lovers—to open the hidden flower." Then he smote his knee: "Ah, I have it, Doctor, you are well preserved, and have a speech of the world—you must play the lover of her. Name of God!—you are right to my hand!"

"The devil!" I roared. "I will not!"

"It"—he went on, amiably, as if it were settled—"will be part of her education. Nothing will so complete her as the love of a man of culture and discrimination. After you—others, of course. But, Doctor, you are the best I have now at hand."

"I shall not serve as a stalking horse for any man's passion."

"You decline to love her?"

"Yes—never!"

"Then," he went on evenly, "you must expect a challenge from me."

(To be Continued)

**Room at the Top**  
"There's always room at the top," said the man who speaks sagaciously.

"Yes," replied Broncho Bob, "but the trouble is that in a lot of games the best cards are at the bottom of the pack."

The avicious have no enjoyment of what they retain; the liberal en-

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Absolutely Removes  
Indigestion. One package  
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## Of Interest To Women

News items of every character of interest to women welcome to space in this department. Write or phone Women's Editorial Staff.

Miss Alice Wheeler,  
Miss Cora M. Bangsberg.

**THE TRIBUNE**  
Both Phones 3 23



FOR MISS BURNS

Miss Gertrude Sisson will entertain a party of friends at her home, 1511 Main street, tomorrow afternoon in honor of Miss Eileen Burns, who will be one of the 1916 June brides, and on Saturday afternoon Mrs. Howard Hundemark, 132 West avenue south, will entertain at bridge, also complimentary to Miss Burns.

### CAMPFIRE GIRLS

#### HAVE BABY PROGRAM

At a meeting of the Fauna Girls at Bethany Center Tuesday evening an informal baby program was given, all the members participating. The girls told of some phase of Baby Welfare and illustrated with instances from their own experiences. Following the program the meeting resolved itself into a birthday party in honor of the birthday anniversaries of two of the members, Esther Christopher and Helen Waska.

### BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. H. E. Schlicht was pleasantly surprised by a party of relatives and friends at her home Tuesday afternoon. The occasion was Mrs. Schlicht's birthday and the impromptu hostess was presented with a beautiful gift and with several bouquets of flowers. Refreshments were served and a delightful time was enjoyed. Those present were the Mesdames G. Skalland, G. Schlicht, C. Nelson, R. Brabant, Jr., and B. Grimshaw, the Misses C. Schlicht, Ruth Skalland, Bernice and Evelyn Brabant and Lark Schlicht and Masters Aldwin and Lester Skalland, Clarence Skalland and Fay Grimshaw.

### MOTHERS' CIRCLE SALE

The Mothers' Circle of the First Presbyterian church held a sale and coffee yesterday afternoon at the church parlors which proved a most gratifying success in all respects. Home cooking, home-made candy, aprons and fancy articles were offered for sale and practically everything was disposed of by the ladies. In charge of the home cooking table were Mesdames Watterson and Dunn; aprons and fancy work were in charge of Mesdames Philip Tillman and William Jones; presiding at the candy table was Mrs. H. L. Woods. The ladies serving included the Mesdames C. C. Fletcher, N. J. Atkinson, Bleser and R. S. Jones. A delicious lunch consisting of salad and rolls, jelly, coffee and cake, was served at tables scattered about the room, centered with bouquets of fragrant spring blossoms, lilacs, lilies of the valley and apple blossoms.

### CIRCLE MEETS TODAY

The Ladies' League of St. Paul's Universalist church are meeting this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Anna Hermann, 308 North Seventh street. Mrs. A. M. Castle and Miss Jennie Smith are assisting Mrs. Hermann as hostesses. Supper will be served and the members will remain for the evening.

### YEOMEN EVENTS

The five hundred party given for the ladies' degree team of the B. A. Y., Friday afternoon, was largely attended, and favors were awarded to Mesdames Zindel, Trepte, Furber, Kohn, Rand, Barndt, Falb and Johnson. The Yeomen will give another dance for the team next Friday evening.

The Rowena circle card party of Tuesday afternoon was also well attended. Cinch was played and prizes were awarded to Mesdames Drake, Lee, Robert, Hackbart, Hawkins, Grove, Sheets and Falb. The circle will hold its regular meeting next Tuesday afternoon.

The weekly social given by the

Yeomen Tuesday evening was largely attended, and the excellent music furnished by the Yeomen orchestra was greatly enjoyed by all. The regular business session of the order was held in the lodge room. It was decided to hold the class adoption Friday, June 2, for the reason that a number of the children in the juvenile drill team take part in an entertainment at Myrick park on May 26, and could not be present.

### COFFEE

Miss Cora Munz and Mrs. E. Singer are entertaining at a five o'clock coffee this afternoon at the home of the former, 530 South Sixteenth street.

### FIVE HUNDRED CLUB

Mrs. Frank F. Flock entertained the Wednesday Five Hundred club at her home at 711 Division street, yesterday afternoon. Favors were won by Mrs. George Ott, Mrs. J. W. Callaway and Mrs. C. M. Marwin. The club will meet next week with Mrs. J. F. Barnes.

### SOCIAL BRIEFS

Miss Anna Shaddock, 1812 Kane street, has for her guest Walter Delp of Berkeley, Cal.

## Suffragettes Lie In Wait For Delegates To Democratic Meet

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 18.—Delegates to the democratic national convention here, June 14, will walk or ride from the Jefferson Hotel, national committee headquarters and home of many of the delegations, to the Coliseum, through a "golden lane," thousands of women suffrage advocates garbed in white dresses with yellow parasols and sashes. The preparedness pageant announced for the opening day of the convention will be so timed, according to present plans, to pass the Coliseum as the delegates are leaving the building following the first day's adjournment.

In this manner the suffrage and preparedness leaders expect to bring pressure to bear for suffrage and preparedness plans in the democratic platform.

### Difficult Task

Faces J. P. Morgan

NEW YORK, May 18.—A task a trifle more difficult than Solomon's baby decision confronts J. P. Morgan.

The financier has decided to invite some of the club women who will attend the national convention of women's clubs here to his estate for an outing May 31.

Morgan thinks about 25 will be the right number. At least 25,000 women will attend the convention. The local women have absolutely declined to name the 25. They figure life is too short.

So Morgan is now looking forward to 25 smiles and about 24,975 frowns on reception day.

### Woman Chosen President

Of Press Association

NEW ORLEANS, La., May 18.—Mrs. J. Vol Brock of Franklinton, La., has the distinction of being the first woman to be president of the Louisiana Press association. She was a prominent school teacher before she married a newspaper man. When her husband became district attorney, she assumed entire control of the paper. She also finds time for strawberry culture and automobile driving. She has three children, whose interests she never neglects, and takes part in church affairs and in civic improvement matters.

Breakfast in Honor of President's Wife  
WASHINGTON, May 18.—The Dolly Madison breakfast to be given today in honor of Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. Clark and the ladies of the cabinet, will be one of the most delightful affairs of the spring social season. There is always a large representation from official as well as residential circles among the guests. Mrs. William A. Cullip, wife of Congressman Cullip of Indiana, is in charge of arrangements. Among the hostesses and patronesses are

## Program For Baby Week

SUNDAY—  
Baby Week Services by various pastors.

MONDAY—  
Superintendent Benezet's letter to school children.  
Pupils of public schools take pledge to baby:

"I pledge to be a baby's friend,  
And everybody tell,  
Clean air, clean clothing and clean food  
He needs to keep him well."

Baby Station open at Bethany Center at 2 p. m.

TUESDAY—  
Baby Station open at Bethany Center at 2 p. m.

WEDNESDAY—  
Baby Station open at Washington School at 2 p. m.  
Mass meeting in interest of Baby Week program by school children. Address by speaker from Milwaukee. Meeting to be held at Congregational church.

THURSDAY—  
Baby Station open at Washington School at 2 p. m.

FRIDAY—  
Baby Station open at Logan School at 2 p. m.

SATURDAY—  
Baby Station open at Logan School at 2 p. m.

## REPORTED ENGAGED TO PRINCE OF WALES



Princess Margaret.

The engagement of Princess Margaret of Denmark to the Prince of Wales is expected to be announced soon. She is a most accomplished young lady, holding the degree of doctor of philosophy, although only twenty years of age.

Mrs. George T. Marye, Mrs. Perry Belmont, Mrs. John B. Henderson, Mrs. Carl Vrooman and Mrs. Anthony Caminetti.

### Women Farmers Meet at Boston

BOSTON, Mass., May 18.—Rural credit for women farmers and gardeners, the raising of the standard of practical garden experience, and other subjects will be taken up at the annual conference of the Women's National Agricultural Horticultural association, which opens tomorrow. The objects of the association are co-operation among women engaged in garden work or farming, the interchange of ideas directly between members, the encouragement of school gardening. Since its foundation two years ago, the association has acquired a thousand members, representing 38 states.

### Never Would Do

Nat Browne (who has been discovered on the premises by Miss Spinster, revolver in hand)—Lemme go, missus, this time, I'll never come here no more.

Miss Spinster (calmly)—Stir, and your doom is sealed. Society must be protected from such as you at all costs.

"I've a wife and fifteen orphans depending on me."

"It is useless to argue, fellow."

"Are you aware, ma'am, that if you hand me over to the police, your evidence won't be heard until you give yer correct age?"

Miss Spinster (dropping revolver, with a horrified scream)—Go, wretch—miscreant! Begone! There is the door!

### Highest Praise

It was a gay and frivolous party that gathered one evening to do honor to a number of artists, and soon the task turned into the channels of art.

First Artist—The other day I painted a board in imitation of marble with such accuracy that on being thrown into the water it immediately sank to the bottom.

Second Artist—Faugh! Yesterday I hung my thermometer on the easel supporting my view of the polar regions. It fell at once to 20 degrees below zero.

Third Artist—Ah! That is nothing! My portrait of a city alderman was so lifelike it had to be shaved twice a week—Pearson's.

### Put to the Test

Rat-tat-tat! went the knocker on the door.

With a muttered exclamation of wrath the busy housewife interrupted her work to go and see who was there.

On the step stood a book canvasser, in dress but with plenty of self assurance.

"I have here a most valuable work, madam," he began, glibly, as the woman stood waiting in ominous silence. "It tells you how to do—everything."

"Does it?" retorted the lady, with cold sarcasm. "Well, does it tell you how to get rid of pestering streethawkers?"

"It does, madam," replied the man. "Buy something from him!"

### DAILY WEATHER BULLETIN

Stations	(Lo)	(Hi)	(P.)
Boston	46	54	.98
Charleston	60	80	0
New York	44	58	.04
Washington	46	64	0
Galveston	60	76	1.06
Jacksonville	64	80	0
New Orleans	64	80	.06
Chicago	40	62	0
La Crosse	36	58	0
Madison	38	56	0
Memphis	62	78	0
Milwaukee	40	54	0
Bismarck	36	58	0
Huron	34	52	0
Kansas City	44	64	0
St. Paul	36	54	0
Boise	50	74	.08
Denver	40	60	0
Helena	38	64	0
Miles City	38	64	0
Portland, Ore.	32	66	.10
Spokane	50	72	.01
Medicine Hat	42	66	0

Industry is an excellent guard to virtue, the more active your life the less opportunity have the passions to corrupt you.

## The DOME—Important Announcement

We are pleased to announce that we have been able to secure a booking for

## "Emmy of the Stork's Nest"

featuring

MARY MILES MINTER

Saturday, May 20th, matinee and night. Those who were disappointed in not seeing this wonderful picture Tuesday night will now have an opportunity of doing so.

MILLER AND GIBSON, Props, Dome Theater

## NORTH SIDE

## TABERNACLE YOUNG PEOPLE TO GIVE AN AMATEUR PLAY

On Monday evening, May 22, members of the Young People's society of the Tabernacle Baptist church, will present their play, "The Land of Promise," in the church lecture room, corner Avon and Clinton streets. The play is written by Mr. Wm. T. Bingham of the well known company, "Bingham-Radcliffe Co.", originators of church entertainments. It contains a number of beautiful musical selections, its dramatic interest is strong, and the characters exceptionally varied.

The cast follows:  
Rev. Franklin Sunday, the minister—Owen C. Whisler.

Mrs. Sunday, his wife—Gertrude Peterman.

Eloise, Paulina, Indiana, his daughters—Gertrude Clemans, Ruth Whisler, Mae Marvin.

Prentiss Whitfield, a theological student—Paul Redpath.

Col. Butler Street, leader of the choir—Robert Brinstead.

Miss Sophronia Lane, sec. of Sewing Circle—Georgina Butterfield.

Obadiah McPuff, who looks after the cats—Merritt Gibson.

Martha McPuff, who looks after him—Doris Saltz.

Emeline Trimble, pres. of Sewing Circle—Alice Ahlstrom.

Tucker Doolittle, postmaster and storekeeper—Edmond Elliott.

Mrs. Doolittle, his wife—Helen Ahlstrom.

Leonard Dudley, his head clerk—Walter Ahlstrom.

Cynthia Key, a teacher of music—Elizabeth Hyler.

Pianist—Mary Whisler.

## North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. Feet in \$1 to \$2. Dr. Robert E. Flynn, who attended the funeral of his father in Caledonia, Minn., has returned to his home, 1226 Caledonia street.

Mrs. E. W. Dyer has returned to her home, 1512 Wood street, after a visit with friends and relatives in Prairie du Chien.

George Sanderson, who spent the past few days in West Salem, has returned to his home, 1837 Berlin street.

Guy Gardner has returned to his home, 1523 Kane street, after a visit in Winona.

Joe McIntyre, who spent the past few days in Savanna, has returned to his home, 1403 George street.

Bobbie Taylor is confined to his home, 1714 Charles street, with illness.

Louis Jojade, who spent the past few days in Detroit, has returned to his home, 1833 Charles street.

Miss Irene Raymond, Stevenstown, Wis., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. C. Johnson, 1407 George street.

Mrs. Robert Manes, 1423 Charles street, has returned from a trip to Woodman, Col.

Mrs. Frank Westmeyer, Mussel Shell, Mont., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Cottrell, 1716 Charles street.

Mrs. S. McGuire is ill at her home, 809 Avon street.

Mrs. A. St. Mary was given a farewell party at her home Monday afternoon by a party of friends. Mrs. St. Mary left Wednesday noon to spend the summer with her daughter.

Those present were the Mesdames Melbo, Farley, C. Asselin, Vaillancourt, Heiteman, Waite, Johnson, Jenks and Mrs. St. Mary.

Rev. A. Murphy left for Seneca, Wis., where he will attend the funeral of Father Doyle's father.

Helen Farley has returned to her home after a visit with friends in Caledonia.

Miss L. Hayes is visiting friends and relatives in Caledonia.

Jessie Gould, who spent the week-end at her home, has returned to Stoddard.

William Vaillancourt, who has been ill at his home, is able to be about.

A. J. Scheller has moved his household goods from 1426 to 832 Rose street.

Sigaard Sinstad will entertain the Men's league of the Charles Street Lutheran church in the church parlors Friday evening.

Rev. E. O. Vik, 1502 Charles street, has left for Minneapolis to attend the Synod convention.

Edgar Bott, who has been ill at his home, 1218 Caledonia street, is again able to be about.

Jene Grasson has moved his household goods from 1615 Avon street to 1503 Prospect street.

John Dimon, 521 Avon street, is removing to 433 Rose street.

### MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETS

Cuba and Porto Rico yesterday were the topics of discussion of the Women's Missionary society of the North Presbyterian church, which met at the home of Mrs. A. A. Freeman, 1511 Avon street. Mrs. Finch A. Clarke and Mrs. William Kathary led in the discussion.

## ATTENTION

## Boat House Owners

You are requested by Edward Larson to leave your boat houses unlocked Saturday afternoon, that a thorough search be made for the body of the missing son of Mr. Larson. A suction apparatus is to be used in an effort to locate the body.

## BURLINGTON WORKS ON TELEGRAPH LINE

Telegraph lines on the Burlington road between Alma and Cochran are being repaired by a crew of twelve men from Chicago. Nine miles of line will be practically rebuilt, from poles to wire.

### HJALMAR GUNDERSON DIES

Hjalmar Gunderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Syvert Gunderson, 1603 Berlin street, died yesterday morning at his home, after a several weeks' illness with a complication of diseases. He was eighteen years of age. Funeral services will be held at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the home and at 2:30 from Trinity Lutheran church on Avon street. Rev. A. Forness to officiate. Burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery.

### The Cautious Cossack

It is said that after the great Turkish defeat at Sarikamish a Russian officer met a party of 500 captured Turks being brought in by fifteen smiling Cossacks. There was something obviously the matter with the prisoners; their hands were all mysteriously occupied.

The officer hailed the Cossack in charge and asked: "Have you got a dancing class there or what?"

The Cossack grinned more broadly and replied: "Well, you see, excellency, there's more than 500 of them, and only fifteen of us, so there was a chance they might be up to something if we weren't careful. So before we started we sent round and cut off all their hooks, belts and trouser buttons. Now they've got their hands full and it's no use their trying to bolt."

Mr. Dingham—Why did that woman keep you standing at the door for half an hour?

His Talkative Wife—She said she hadn't time to come in.

What to Do to Get Fat and Increase Weight

### The Real Cause of Thinness

Most people eat from four to six pounds of good solid fat-making food every day and still do not increase in weight one ounce, while on the other hand many of the plump, chunky folks eat very lightly and keep gaining all the time. It's all bosh to say that this is the nature of the individual. It isn't Nature's way at all.

Most thin people stay thin because their powers of assimilation are defective. They absorb just enough of the food they eat to maintain life and a semblance of health and strength. Stuffing won't help them. A dozen meals a day won't make them gain a single "stay there" pound.

All the fat-producing elements of their food just stay there in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste. What such people need is something that will prepare these fatty food elements so that their blood can absorb them and deposit them all about the body—something, too, that will multiply their red blood corpuscles and increase their blood's carrying power.

For such a condition it is well to recommend eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is not, as some believe a patented drug, but is simply a careful combination of six of the most effective and powerful assimilative and flesh building elements known to chemistry. It is absolutely harmless, yet has been wonderfully effective and a single tablet eaten with each meal often, according to reports of users, has the effect of increasing the weight of a thin man or woman from three to five pounds a week. Sargol is sold by Hoehschler Bros. and other good druggists everywhere on a positive guarantee of weight increase or money back.

## AMERICAN WIFE OF ENGLISH STATESMAN DOES NOT BELIEVE IN RACE SUICIDE



Mrs. Lewis V. Harcourt and her children.

Mrs. Lewis Vernon Harcourt, wife of the famous English statesman, does not believe in race suicide. She has four fine children, whose latest picture is shown here. Mrs. Harcourt was formerly a New York girl, being Miss Mary Burns, daughter of Mr. Walter Burns. She is very popular at the English court and in the exclusive social circles of London.

### PARADE FOR ST. PAUL

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 18.—Some sunny Saturday afternoon St. Paul will stage a preparedness parade that will have the same object, if not the same magnitude, as New York's parade, Jesse A. Gregg, president of the St. Paul branch of the Security league, announced today.

## DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE



Can you finish this picture?

Complete the picture by drawing a line through the dots. Begin at No. 1 and take them numerically.



# Strawberries

**Car Due For Tomorrow.**  
**Owing to rain South prevents picking.**  
**We will not have car Saturday.**

**JOHN C. BURNS**  
**FRUIT HOUSE**

**THE FASHION SHOP**  
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 Greatest Value Giving  
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 We will move your piano and household effects with care and satisfaction. The fact that all the leading piano dealers employ us to move their pianos should prove an incentive for you to engage us in moving.

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**HEALTH**  
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Inventorying Baby Stock

Taking part in the arrangements for a local celebration of Baby Week has put an irritating question mark in the minds of many Wisconsin people. Learning that New Zealand has cut a low infant death rate in two and immediately saved the lives and health of many hundreds of babies, Wisconsin people have been impelled to ask themselves and one another what could we do to make conditions better for our babies. If New York with its difficult tenement house and ignorant un-American immigrant

problems could reduce its infant death rate 30 per cent in five years perhaps we ought to take stock, also and action if action is demanded.

That is a big thing to have accomplished if it never goes any further. But it is going further. Already citizens of Fond du Lac and Wausau have sent to this bureau for assistance in studying and interpreting the facts contained in the file of death certificates in the office of the local health departments. More will follow just as surely as day follows night. Death certificates are taken on a new appearance. No longer are they a mere chronicle of misery, suffering and death. They contain knowledge, and knowledge saves life. Like losses in business, loss of life properly studied may point the way to success.

The study of the infant mortality problem of Wisconsin, so far as it has proceeded, indicates that we have a different problem in many respects than have the larger cities which led off in the movement to save baby lives. We find, for example, in many cities that more babies die in fall and winter months than do in hot summer weather. Indeed, deaths and births in Wisconsin fall together. The months which have a high number of births have a high number of deaths and here we shall probably find the crux of the whole matter.

Dr. Dorothy Reed Mendenhall of Madison, has perhaps been the investigator most vigorous and outspoken in setting forth the fact that too many babies die during or shortly after birth. She holds that these babies haven't had a fair chance, that they've been blighted by conditions affecting the mother and by improper and insufficient care during birth.

The loss of babies in the homes of poor industrial city people who have such a struggle against poverty as to require prospective mothers to work in factories almost to the day of confinement is no new thing. But that similar losses occur in prosperous Wisconsin cities and rural communities that have no industrial woman problem is startling and more significant than many have realized. The further the study is pushed as to why these women and their babies should die in so great a proportion, the clearer becomes the fact that ignorance concerning the care of mothers and babies is too common in a great enlightened state like Wisconsin.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

We wish to thank all those who were so kind to us during the recent illness and bereavement of our dear husband and father. We wish to thank all those who sent floral offerings, also Rev. Father Murphy for his kindness and sympathy.

MRS. A. BOUCHER and Family.

**Always Wishing.**  
 To be always wishing for something we cannot get is the worst possible way to spend time. All of us have blessings which are enough to make us happy if only we are so wise as to enjoy them instead of fretting for something more. Take the pleasures of today with a grateful heart, and never waste time in hoping you will have something better tomorrow.

**Trane's**  
 We make the best Home-Made Bread, but also the best dairies in our line.  
 Auto Delivery

**Bakery**  
 610 Main Street. Call 131 Black

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 Made from Combs. All expert hand-work. Call 1912-C and I will call.

MRS. L. YOUNG,  
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**SHOES**  
**E. C. SKUFFERS**  
 For Little Ones.  
 Have us call for your Shoe Repairing.  
 CLARENCE CHASE  
 On North Ninth Street  
 New Phone 109-M

## PERSONALS

B. A. Yeomen dance Fri. & Tues. Mrs. S. P. Madland, 612 South Eighth street, has returned from a few days' visit in Minneapolis, where she has been visiting her sons and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Vanderveelde of La Crosse have left for an extended visit with relatives in Alma, Wis., and Duluth, Minn.

For sale—Beagle pups. 108 N. 6th. Henry Roettinger, Fountain City, was a recent business caller here.

C. C. Winn has returned from a business trip to Waumandee, Wis., in the interests of the university extension.

The New Phone Telephone Directory goes to press May 20, and all desired changes should be reported to the directory department at once, telephone No. 140. Persons contemplating a telephone or listing for June should order now.

Miss Lela Roettinger, a student in the normal school, was a recent visitor at her home in Fountain City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Heck, La Crosse, are guests of friends at Waumandee, Wis.

Mrs. B. C. Johnson, Lansing, was a recent caller here.

Mystic Workers will give auction bazaar May 19, K. P. hall, afternoon and evening. Dancing included.

R. T. Johnson, Reedsburg, Wis., was a business visitor here yesterday.

Gustave H. Owens, Cresco, Iowa, spent yesterday at a local hotel while transacting business and visiting friends.

F. R. A. dance and refreshments tonight.

Paul F. Frederick was a business caller here yesterday from Tomah.

J. B. Dooney, Winona, Minn., was a visitor here yesterday.

O. C. Nessa, Osseo, Wis., spent yesterday at a local hotel.

Rebekahs will give a card party Friday evening, May 19.

Miss Jessie Newman, Broadhead, Wis., spent yesterday here transacting business.

H. J. Sperra and wife, Mankato, was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

L. J. Vienne, Fond du Lac, Wis., visited friends and transacted business here yesterday.

Millinery—shapes and trimmings, at Miss B. Thompson's, 225 N. 7th.

Phil S. Dickinson, Appleton, Wis., was a business visitor in La Crosse yesterday.

T. M. Hart, Tomah, was a visitor in the city Wednesday.

F. J. Weiss was here yesterday from Madison.

Henry Klick, for the past eleven years a resident of Chicago, has moved back to La Crosse. He returns to his home town as manager of the Wege Concrete Machine company.

Excellent carriages, Gateway City Transfer Line, Phone 179.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Asselin have returned from a visit with relatives in St. Paul.

Miss Theresa Burns, stenographer for the Standard Oil company is reported much improved after her recent operation.

"Bob" Thompson, former resident, now a resident of New Orleans, La., has returned to this city for a visit.

**BEFORE GOING TO BED**  
 Horsford's Acid Phosphate  
 Half a teaspoonful in half a glass of water on retiring, relieves insomnia. Buy a bottle.

**CITY NEWS TICKER**

**Launch Held for Owner**  
 Sheriff George J. Ritter has been asked to search for the owner of a sixteen-foot steel launch, now being cared for by authorities at Cassville, but which is believed to have been stolen by two men who are now serving twenty day terms in county jail of Grant county for stealing lumber. The launch contains a three-horsepower Ferry engine, and was undoubtedly, the Cassville authorities say, stolen from some point on the upper Mississippi.

**CURZON TO HEAD NEW AIR BOARD**

LONDON, May 18.—Dord Curzon, former viceroy of India, has been named president of a new air board which will direct England's air forces. Under Secretary for War Tennant announced in commons this afternoon.

**Self-Torture.**  
 We pity the misguided devotees who put stones in their shoes for a pilgrimage, or who walk over thorny paths to "make merit," but many of us have days when we walk our life road in much the same way, and with no such worthy end in view. We translate the careless speech into intentional offense, the little neglect into deliberate unkindness, the common duty into hardship, and press them in upon our hearts until the whole spirit is sore and bruised self-torture.

**New Style Engagement Rings**

Made of Platinum  
 Blue White Diamonds  
 Absolutely Perfect  
 \$95.00, \$130.00, \$135.00, \$140.00  
 \$145.00 up.  
 A complete selection of choice diamonds priced from \$18.00 to \$500.00.

**IRVINE'S, 429 Main St.**  
 Geo Irvine in charge

## ATTENTION TRIBUNE READERS

I now carry a full line of Paints in all sizes; Floor Varnishes, Enamels, Floor Paints, Japalac, Varnishes, Oils, Turpentine, Alabastine Wall Finish, and all kinds of Paint, Varnish and Whitewash Brushes.

CHAS. BEYSCHLAG  
 Druggist 503 Main Street

## SOCIETY LEADER IN A UNIQUE COSTUME



Mrs. Ray Atherton in her outfit.

Mrs. Ray Atherton, social leader of Boston, returned from Europe last week in a costume which made her the most conspicuous arrival on the S. S. New York. The photograph, taken aboard the liner, shows her in high hat, mannish waistcoat and high shoes patterned by Paris designers somewhat after the conventional masculine attire.

## Dresbach, Minn.

DRESBACH, Minn., May 18.—(Special.)—Miss Minnie Larson and Miss Elsie Murphy are the guests of Mrs. Anna Vier of Dakota Valley.

Gustave School and wife have gone to housekeeping in their new home on Hill street.

Mrs. Ernest Horner spent the week end at La Crosse.

Mrs. William Halfach and Miss Marian Schimerhorn of La Crosse entertained a La Crosse party last week at the H. R. Horner cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Horner are on a short trip to Pierre, S. D.

Emil Mades was a Dresbach caller last Sunday.

The St. James Episcopal church has a fresh coat of paint.

Section Boss John Nichols is working a large crew equipping his section with steel tie plates.

The county road commissioners are blasting out rocks along the river road preparatory to putting on the steam road grader. The new grader is at the Dakota depot now.

Arthur Dickson came down from St. Paul Sunday.

Vilas Horner autoed up from La Crosse Monday.

Ernest Horner is in La Crosse for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Webster autoed to La Crosse Monday on a trading tour.

The upper room of the Dresbach school closed last week for the year and Miss Marian Wood, teacher, left for her home at Winona.

Miss Frances Siegfried of New Albin, Iowa, who is visiting her cousin, Mrs. William School, left last week for her home.

Miss Margaret Baker and brother Jerome of La Crosse, were up for over Sunday.

Mrs. E. E. Culver was a La Crosse shopper Monday.

Mrs. Andrew Boyd and daughter, Agnes, were up from La Crosse Saturday.

There is a new baby girl at Peter Kear's.

## AUSTRIANS DEFEAT ITALIAN ARMS ON TRENTINO FRONT

VIENNA, May 18.—Continuing their offensive on the Trentino front the Austrians have driven the Italians from more important positions the war office announced this afternoon.

The total number of Italian prisoners taken now reaches 6,200.

## SOLDIERS TOBACCO DRUGGED

NEW YORK, May 18.—Ten tons of tobacco, part of a consignment shipped from America as a gift to the English soldiers, was found to be heavily drugged when examined by British authorities and was burned at Woolrich Arsenal, just outside of London, according to a passenger arriving aboard the Cunard liner Carpathia.

## BERTILLON SYSTEM FOR AUTOS IN USE BY GOTHAM POLICE

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may be a dozen stolen cars unaccounted for by the fact that there counted for at once and the guardian of the law has to be on the lookout for every one of them.

## Hopeless Task

It was found that the average policeman was confronted with a hopeless task. He had no special training in this line, and dozens of different makes and models of automobiles are so nearly alike that even the layman who is a motorist can not identify more than a few of them. It was necessary to work out some simple system by which any car could be recognized at a glance, at any hour of the day or night. An old, experienced chauffeur can tell the make and model of most automobiles, but he goes on no particular system. His years of work with the machines have fixed the general lines of different makes in his mind until he can name the car in question, but it would take too long to train a policeman to the necessary degree of efficiency on this plan.

The method decided on was the selection of the significant detail. The class of policeman is instructed in the little individual peculiarities of each make of car—the things that the untrained eye would never notice. They are also given the outline of a logical plan of quick thinking, which in a short time becomes automatic with the man directing the rush of traffic.

## Tell-tale Tail-light

No two makes or models of automobiles are precisely alike in the little things. The position of the tail-light alone is enough to identify a score of cars. Some carry it in the center, some on the left side, some have it swung on the level of the rear axle, others carry it high up on the body. On other makes it is placed so far to the left that it is in line with the left mud-guard. There are a score of such details on every car that tell a story to the trained eye. The shape of the radiator and its cap, the height of the headlights, the position of the extra tire on its rack, and the cut of the wind-shield are only a few of them.

The policeman has all these details fixed in his mind. As each car passes him in the stream of traffic he lets his eye run over it until he encounters a point that eliminates it from the problem, and then he passes on to the next. With a little practice he does this automatically, subconsciously, while his conscious attention may be taken up with some other duty of regulating traffic.

## Goes by Size

In actual practice, he starts a little farther back than the observation of details, and his task is correspondingly easier. He knows whether the car he is looking for is in the light, medium or heavy class. If he is looking for a Packard, he can eliminate most of the passing machines on the score of size alone. Dealing only with the heavy cars, his problem is at once narrowed down. Among the heavy models, he knows that the Packard carries its tail light far over to the left, on the left mud-guard, while the Pierce Arrow, another possibility, is eliminated by the fact that the tail light is placed at a point opposite the middle of the rear axle. He notes the other minor points, the size of the doors, the gasoline tank, and so on, until he has positively identified the make and model he is looking for. Then he may stop the suspected machine while he consults the description of the stolen car, giving individual peculiarities, such as a dented mud-guard or a mended top.

The most difficult car to recover is one of a cheap and common model, of which there are many thousands on the streets. In fact, recent police experience shows that most of the thefts are being confined to such machines. A favorite device of motor thieves is the rebuilding of several stolen cars by exchanging parts from one to the other. Such work in the case of the more expensive models is much more difficult than in the case of a cheap machine, and calls for an expert mechanic. Most of the men at once able and unscrupulous enough for the business have been landed behind the bars. It is also much easier to identify a big, expensive car than one of a cheap and correspondingly common model. Hence thieves are working almost entirely in the latter class.

## Get All Numbers

This practice of interchanging parts from different cars suggests a step by which the owner can be of great assistance in the recovery of stolen property and the conviction of the offender. He can make a note of the factory number of every part of his car—not only the motor, but the magneto, the carburetor, and so on. He can mark the body in some inconspicuous place in a distinguishing way. Thus he will be able to swear not only to his machine as a whole, if it has been stolen and a suspect taken, but also to any part of it. He can give the police something to work on.

The motor thief is rarely caught in the act of taking a car. He has his business too well systematized for that. He does not step into an attractive looking machine and drive off with it. His usual procedure is to observe carefully the habits of the owner. He makes himself familiar with the routine of the latter. He then selects a moment when the car is habitually left standing before a certain door for some time, so that he can count on not being surprised and on having an hour or so to get well out of the neighborhood. He supplies himself with a switch-key for starting if the one in the car is removable, or with a key to open the lock if the switch is locked. Then he drives to his garage, makes as many alterations in the appearance of the car as he deems necessary, and after a few days motors

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## THE NEW PHONE

leisurely out of the city to some country town where he makes a sacrifice sale. His great problem is to get safely out of metropolitan limits. That is where the newly trained traffic policemen come in.

## Reward is Bad

Another wise move in fighting the motor thief is being made in the elimination of the reward system. Formerly the great idea of the owner or of the company which insured the car against theft, was to get the machine back and no questions asked. A man or an insurance company losing a \$3,000 car was much more anxious to recover it than to convict the thief. A liberal reward would be advertised along with a promise to drop the matter if the car were returned. Such a policy was badly mistaken and shortsighted. Many of the thieves made a practice of stealing cars for the express purpose of returning them on the offer of a reward and a promise of safety.

Now the insurance companies have agreed to offer no more rewards in New York city, and as practically every car is insured against theft, they have the situation in their own hands. By taking a few losses for the moment, they are co-operating with the police to break up the whole system. The motor thief has had a prosperous and romantic day, but the end is in sight.

## THIS PLEASURABLE PHYSIC 10c

For 10c or 25c you can obtain medicine for constipation, biliousness, stomach, liver and bowel trouble which will be worth dollars in improved health and feelings. Try Blackburn's CascaRoyal-Pills just once and prove it.

## PROTEST NEARLY READY FOR SENDING

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The president's note to Great Britain, offering a strong protest against mail seizures, is practically completed and will probably be sent this week. It was officially stated today. The president, it is understood, is very anxious the communication be forwarded before next week and so advised the state department.

## FISHING SMACK SUNK

LONDON, May 18.—The fishing smack Research has been sunk. One of her crew was killed and two were injured. The rest were landed.

## To Wind Yarn.

We all know that it is difficult to wind wool or yarn of any kind if there is no one to hold the skein. To overcome this difficulty put two flatirons on the table a sufficient distance apart to allow the wool to be tightly stretched. This will answer just as well as someone holding the skeins.

## Where Dog Was Useful.

"Why don't you get rid of that dog, son? He is useless and has no spirit." "He's a big help to me in the junk business, dad. Comes home early every day with a kettle tied to his tail."—Louisville Courier Journal.

## HOWES GREAT LONDON SHOWS AT LA CROSSE Sat., May 27

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GRAND FREE STREET PARADE AT 10 P. M.

## FINEST TURNOUT OF ANY CIRCUS

The great London Shows Consolidated, which comes to La Crosse, Saturday, May 27 will bring special importations in the way of all kinds of new circus acts which have been secured in conjunction with a long string of the pick of American performers.

Every department has been increased extensively, and it is claimed the exhibition of blooded horses is the best ever offered, among which are the wonderful Dublin Grays, the Big Six, who have captured all of the prizes at the prominent horse shows. They are valued at \$25,000. The parade, said to be "the finest turnout of any circus has ever made in any country," will traverse the principal streets the morning of the show day.

## Out of Sorts

THAT IS, something is wrong with baby, but we can't tell just what it is. All mothers recognize the term by the lassitude, weakness, loss of appetite, inclination to sleep, heavy breathing, and lack of interest shown by baby. These are the symptoms of sickness. It may be fever, congestion, worms, croup, diphtheria, or scarlatina. Do not lose a minute. Give the child Castoria. It will start the digestive organs into operation, open the pores of the skin, carry off the foetid matter, and drive away the threatened sickness.

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## CONSULS MEET ON BORDER TO TELL OF BORDER STATUS

Administration to Get First Hand Information from U. S. Agents Stationed in Interior

### REPORT CLASH WITH BANDITS

Two Mexicans Wounded and Captured in Fight Which Resulted in Release of Americans

BY CARL D. GROAT  
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)  
WASHINGTON, May 18.—First hand information regarding conditions in Mexico soon will be in the hands of the administration as the result of a conference of consuls called at El Paso.

This information will be put in General Funston's hands and later brought personally to Washington.

In some quarters the border conference was regarded as perhaps indicative of a change in policy toward Mexico. State department officials claimed there was no special occasion for the meeting other than a desire to know the real truth on economic and political conditions in the interior.

The consuls who will participate are: Schmutz of Aguas Calientes; Letcher of Chihuahua; Robertson at Monterey and Coen at Durango. It is assumed that Edwards at Juarez will also be present although he is not ordered to take part. Consul Letcher, already at the border, will report results personally here.

Colonel Sibley, reporting through General Funston to the war department today on Major Langhorne's engagement with the Glenn Springs raiders, failed to substantiate earlier reports misconstrued as official at the department, telling that seventy-five Mexicans had been captured and six killed. He told of only two Mexicans wounded and captured.

The official dispatch also told of the rescue of Jesse Deemer and Monroe Payne, the half-breed, who were carried off from Glenn Springs.

Two troops of cavalry took part in the engagement.

With the successful termination of the Langhorne expedition, it was believed by officials here it would be immediately withdrawn.

**Letcher at El Paso**  
EL PASO, Tex., May 18.—United States Consul Marion Letcher arrived here from Chihuahua City, Mex., last night. He was accompanied here by nine civilian American residents of Chihuahua. While Letcher is in the United States, the affairs of the American consulate in Chihuahua will be looked after by British Vice-consul Scobell. Letcher today sent to the state department by request a report on conditions in Mexico.

**Expect Big Clash**  
SAN ANTONIO, Tex., May 18.—A battle between Major Langhorne's cavalry and the rear guard of the Glenn Springs raiders was expected momentarily today following reports of a preliminary clash in which two Mexicans were wounded and captured. The fight occurred south of El Paso, the settlement where the Americans, Deemer and Payne, were rescued, the reports said. Colonel Sibley, commanding the expedition, began a dash southward to join Langhorne's force immediately on receipt of Langhorne's report. He is heading three troops of cavalry who are searching for bandits about fifty miles south of Boquillas.

General Funston said today the Marathon expedition will be withdrawn soon, regardless of whether the bandits are caught, owing to the lack of water and forage.

**Report Finding of Bodies**  
MARATHON, Texas, May 18.—The bodies of three American mining prospectors, missing since the battle of Glenn Springs, have been found near San Vicente in the Big Bend desert country by a posse of cattlemen, according to William Somsom, a rancher, who arrived from the border today. Their names are Harris, Woodson and Bosworth.

**AUTO CASE SET ON FRIDAY DOCKET**  
A jury which was drawn in circuit court yesterday afternoon in the suit of George Smith for his nine-year-old son Norbert N. Smith, against Bert Kinney, was dismissed until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning, when the case will be tried. The Smith boy, according to his father, was struck and injured by an automobile being driven by Kinney. Smith seeks to recover damages.

The case of Charles M. Culver will be tried Monday in circuit court. It was announced today. Judge James Wickham will preside.

**NOTICE TO BIDDERS.**  
The undersigned special committee of the La Crosse County Board of Supervisors will receive bids on June 3, 1916, at eleven o'clock a. m. at the court house in the city of La Crosse on electrical wiring of the buildings on the county poor farm and installing an exhaust fan for the kitchen according to specifications on file in the county clerk's office.

The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.  
Dated May 18, 1916, at La Crosse, Wis.  
E. W. GUENTHER,  
J. N. NELSON,  
M. L. BURTON,  
Special Committee.

**SAVE LIFE OF PERFECT BABE**  
CHICAGO, May 18.—Chicago's fight to save the life of its prize baby went out today. Dorothy Constance Lauferki, who was awarded the honor recently of being the most perfect baby in the city, has recovered from her attack of pneumonia, and city health officers lifted the zone of silence ban from around the baby's home.

## LA CROSSE TO GET OVER \$4,000 IN STREET CAR TAX

Farmington, Onalaska and Campbell Also Get Splits of the Line's Taxes

### VALUE ALL UTILITIES IN STATE

Total Is More Than Sixty-two Millions and Tax Amounts to \$825,764

MADISON, Wis., May 17.—(Special.)—The city of La Crosse will receive in taxes \$3,922.37 from the Wisconsin Railway Light and Power company in taxes this year and from the La Crosse and Onalaska Street Railway company the sum of \$85.38, according to the announcement of the Wisconsin tax commission today. Besides this under a ruling of the tax commission the gas and electric plant operating in La Crosse will be assessed locally.

The commission fixed the value of the Wisconsin Railway Light and Power company at \$1,150,000. The total tax assessed against this company is \$15,148.50. Under the law 15 per cent of the tax or \$2,272.28 goes to the state and 85 per cent is divided among the localities through which the lines operate. This company will pay the following taxes to towns in La Crosse county:

**How It's Split**  
Farmington town . . . . . \$ 175.12  
Holland town . . . . . 267.83  
Onalaska town . . . . . 88.85  
Onalaska city . . . . . 274.26  
Campbell town . . . . . 16.74  
La Crosse city . . . . . 3,922.37

A valuation of \$25,000 was fixed on the property of the La Crosse and Onalaska Street railway. The total taxes assessed is \$329.32, of which \$49.40 is retained by the state and the balance, \$279.92 is distributed as follows:

Campbell town . . . . . \$113.90  
La Crosse city . . . . . 85.38  
Onalaska city . . . . . 80.64

The valuation of all of the street car companies, the light, heat and power concerns was fixed by the state tax commission today at \$62,688,000 and the tax at \$85,764.50. There is a slight decrease in the total amount of the tax compared with last year, which was \$825,934.80. Owing to competition from jitneys, and to a general falling off in business during the past year, the valuation of several of the companies was reduced compared with last year.

**Reduce Some Values**  
The valuation of the Beloit Traction company was reduced from \$210,000 last year to \$165,000 this year; Duluth Street Railway company operating in Superior from \$1,250,000 to \$1,000,000; Grand Rapids Street Railway company from \$110,000 to \$100,000; Menomonie and Marinette Light and Traction company from \$325,000 to \$300,000; Milwaukee Electric Railway and Light company from \$30,500,000 to \$30,000,000, and Milwaukee Northern from \$1,900,000 to \$1,700,000. Last year the La Crosse Gas and Electric company with a valuation of about \$1,250,000 was valued with the property of the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power company. An investigation of this property has since been made by the commission and this year the value was excluded and the property will be taxed locally.

Of the total amount of the tax collected 15 per cent is retained by the state, which makes the valuation of the property and 85 per cent goes to the localities. Of the \$825,764.50 assessed against all of the roads and companies this year, \$125,864.70 will be retained by the state, and \$801,899.80 will be distributed among the localities through which the lines operate.

**Help Rural Districts**  
In the distribution of the tax this year the tax commission has followed the recent decision of the supreme court. The results seem to be that the rural districts obtain a higher percentage of the distribution than before.

**SMALL HILL NEAR FAMOUS 304 SCENE OF TERRIFIC FIGHT**  
PARIS, May 18.—French troops stormed and captured a small, well defended German fort northeast of Hill 304 in a sharp attack on the German positions northwest of Verdun at 3 o'clock this morning, the war office announced today.

At the same time French detachments captured a German trench on Hill 287 west of Hill 304, killing or imprisoning all the occupants.

These successful French attacks followed the repulse of strong German assaults on French positions northwest of Verdun in fighting that continued throughout the night.

BERLIN, May 18.—Three French attacks in the region of Hill 304 were repulsed, the war office announced this afternoon.

The French showed activity during the night in upper Alsace when they attempted an advance in the region of Reichsackerkopf. The advance was repulsed by the Germans.

**Best Way to Wash a Rug.**  
Stretch the rug and tack it upon a clean floor. After scouring it well with soapuds, rinse thoroughly to remove all trace of the animal matter in the soap. Let the rug stay tacked down until perfectly dry, so that it will not shrink.

## SPRING GROVE GIRL MARRIED

Miss Otterness Becomes Bride of Samuel Wilson at Bride's Home Tuesday

SPRING GROVE, Minn., May 18.—(Special.)—A wedding of interest took place at the home of Mrs. M. Otterness Tuesday at 4 o'clock, when Miss Anna Louisa Otterness, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Otterness, and Samuel Wilson of Sheldon, Minn., was solemnized. Rev. H. H. Frost performed the marriage. The bride carried a bridal bouquet. The nearest relatives of the couple were present and a three course supper was served at a beautifully decorated table.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will make their home on a farm near Sheldon.

**Bankers' Convention**  
The Bankers' convention of group four held at Decorah, Iowa, was held Wednesday. Following is the program:

Nine o'clock, registration at headquarters; 11 a. m. one session only at Elks' home; invocation, Dr. Mahlon Willett, Decorah, pastor Congregational church; welcome and delivery of the keys, Mayor W. F. Baker, Decorah; response, D. B. Allen, Arlington; What the Farmer Thinks of the Banker, C. W. Nelson, Waverly; The Lawyer and the Banker, Hon. W. J. Ainsworth, West Union; The University and Business Man, Robert Reimow, University of Iowa; An Informal Talk, Theodore Wold, Minneapolis; Nineteen Fifteen-Nineteen Sixteen, P. H. Hall, Des Moines.

Afternoon—1 o'clock, lunch; 1:30, automobile ride; 3:00, ball game, Luther college vs. St. Olaf college, Northfield, Minn.; 7:00 dinner at Winneshiek hotel.

**Locals**  
Miss Inga Jensen departed Monday for Minneapolis.

Tailor Rasmussen of Mabel, Minn., arrived here Wednesday morning to spend a few days with his family.

Idella Johnson arrived here from Caledonia Tuesday evening to visit home folks.

John Gran went to Caledonia Monday.

Sam Oistad, Arthur Myhro, Olga Johnson, Jarla Hallan and Hanna Gaaf left here at noon Wednesday by auto to take in the baseball game between Luther college and St. Olaf college at Decorah.

June 1 is the date set for graduation exercises. Those who will graduate are: Norton Myrah, Albert Myre, Herbert Frost, Arthur Myhro, Minerva Berglund, Dora Stenahjem, Jarla Hallan, Josie Hallan, Genora Haanas, Charlotte Ristey, Edna Newhouse and Mabel Kroshus. This is the largest graduation class that Spring Grove has had for some time.

Peter Torkelson's residence is nearing completion.

George Reynolds of Yucatan was a caller here Wednesday.

Martha Strumm left Sunday evening to fill the position as parochial teacher near Riceford.

Baldwin Omgard went to La Crosse Monday, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. John Dahlgren departed for Rochester, Minn., the fore part of the week.

O. S. Johnson departed Tuesday for Austin, Minn., to attend the Ringier-Lage now in session there. He goes to Minneapolis from there to be present at the general meeting of the Lutheran synod.

Arthur Krough has secured a position at J. N. Ristey's clothing store. Dr. G. M. Helland and Ove Hoegh autoed to Decorah to take in the ball game Wednesday.

Rev. A. O. Johnson and E. Larson went to Decorah Wednesday.

Loander Wolden, accompanied by Norton Myrah and Norton Newhouse, drove to Decorah to attend the Luther-St. Olaf ball game.

Rev. H. H. Frost, Andre Vik of Roseford and N. E. Glasoe and Edward Evenson of Spring Grove went to Minneapolis as representatives to the synod. The momentary question to come up before this meeting is whether there shall be union between the branches of the Norwegian Lutheran church bodies. The United, the Hauges and the Lutheran synod are the bodies in question to consolidate.

Miss Hauge, a nurse at the Swedish hospital of Minneapolis, Minn., arrived here for a week's visit with her friends, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Larson.

Mrs. William Glasrud, who has been seriously ill, is reported to be very much improved.

Miss Eva Jensen, daughter of Mrs. Dwell Jensen of La Crosse is here visiting relatives and renewing acquaintances.

Clarence Newhouse, who lately embarked in the mercantile business at Preston, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Newhouse.

Mrs. N. O. Kjome went to Minneapolis Saturday.

**CAESARIAN OPERATION FATAL**

OMAHA, Neb., May 18.—Mrs. Anna Richter, wife of a Murray, Neb., farmer, is dead today following a Caesarian operation performed Wednesday when three boys were born to her. This is the first time such an operation has ever been attempted in this vicinity that triplets were born. The babies are reported to be in fine condition.

**Still One Thing to Learn.**  
"What are your daughters studying now?" "Nothing," replied Mr. Cumrox. "They have learnt all about music, painting, an' literature. All they've got left to learn is not to bother people with them."

## GERMANS WARNED BY BERNSTORFF TO OBEY THE LAW

German Consuls Throughout Nation Instructed to Impress Duty of Abiding by Statutes

WASHINGTON, May 18.—The first step in the new German campaign to stop alleged lawlessness by Germans in the United States was announced by Ambassador Bernstorff today. The embassy made the following formal statement:

"In consequence of cases that have occurred of late, German Ambassador Bernstorff sent instructions to all the German consuls in the United States to strongly impress on German citizens living in their districts that it is their duty to scrupulously obey the laws of the states in which they reside."

Although Von Bernstorff would not have issued instructions without direction from Berlin, it is known that he was instrumental in showing the German foreign office the wisdom of such a policy. He has for some time argued with Berlin officials that notwithstanding Germany's official disclaimer of responsibility for German violations of United States laws such independent acts were doing the German cause in America a great deal of harm and that it would be wise for Germany to take even more energetic steps to convince the United States that she was in no way responsible for what had occurred.

It was revealed today that the Cymric case is virtually a closed incident as far as this government is concerned unless it should prove to be one of a series of torpedos which showed Germany to be violating her pledges.

**Defining an Optimist.**  
An optimist may be described as a person who believes that a wolf is going to be captured during a big wolf hunt.—Atchison Globe.

## THE MOVIES

**THE DOME**  
FOX FEATURE  
TONIGHT

**"THE REGENERATION"**  
By Owen Kildare, with Rodcliffe Fellows and Anna O. Nielson  
A six act  
FOX WONDERPLAY

See important announcement on North side page.

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TODAY

MATT MOORE and Jane Gail in

"PLOT AND COUNTERPLOT"

A two-reel comedy drama dealing with the solution of a hold-up mining stock company.

"A RECOILING VENGEANCE"

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Starting at 7:30 and 8:45

## GOVERNMENT KNEW EARLY OF PLANS FOR IRISH REVOLT

LONDON, May 18.—The British government knew several days in advance that the Irish rebels planned open revolt but did not disarm them fearing great bloodshed.

Sir Matthew Nathan, who resigned as under secretary for Ireland following the rebellion, made this admission today before the royal commission appointed to investigate the outbreak. Three days before the revolt in Dublin began, the government learned that Irish leaders had been informed the Germans would co-operate with them in a great land, sea and offensive.

Sir Matthew said the coast was patrolled day and night to guard against a possible landing of German arms, and it was undoubtedly due to these precautions that Sir Roger Casement was captured a few hours after he landed.

"Irish rebel sympathizers in America contributed large sums of money for buying arms and printing seditious literature," the former under secretary added.

Sir Roger Casement will go on trial early in June for high treason. It was stated today, following his commitment by the magistrate who presided at the preliminary hearing, Daniel Bailey, the soldier committed with Casement, probably will be tried at the same time, though this is not certain.

## PIONEER FARMER ON THE RIDGE IS CALLED BY DEATH

Louis Rutz, pioneer settler of St. Joseph's Ridge, died yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Death came after a brief illness with pneumonia. Mr. Rutz was 83 years of age. He has been a resident of the ridge for more than half a century.

His widow, who was Miss Sabella Vertz, survived him, as do three daughters and six sons, as well as a brother, Adam, of La Crosse. Mrs. Frank Malzacker, St. Joseph's Ridge; Mrs. Thomas Morrissey, Colorado; and Mrs. Peter Simon, La Crosse, are the pioneer's daughters. His six sons include John, George and Adam of La Crosse, Nicholas, Wabasha; Peter, who resides in North Dakota, and Henry, resident on the St. Joseph Ridge.

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## OLD RIVERMAN HAS DEVICE HE THINKS MAY LOCATE BODY

Tim Jarvis with Machine of His Own Which He Will Not Describe to Search Black River

Will Tim Jarvis, 204 Market street, old river man, find the body of the missing Larson boy?

Jarvis claims to have an apparatus which will locate the body if it is in Black river near Copeland park or in the eddy to the west of the Arctic ice houses. The parents of the missing boy will employ Jarvis Saturday in a last effort to ascertain whether the body of their boy is in the river. Boat house owners are requested to leave their houses unlocked Saturday afternoon that a thorough search of the slips and houses may be made.

George and Charles West, north side fishermen, today continued the search of Black river in the neighborhood of the Arctic ice houses.

A trip into Minnesota in response to a rumor proved a wild goose chase for the police yesterday. Instead of a hoio, reported near Dresbach with a boy answering the description of the lost Larson child, they found a well-known fisherman returning to his houseboat, with his truant son firmly collared and crying about it.

## "PREPAREDNESS" IS HOLWAY TOPIC AT PEACE DAY MEETING

Adjutant-General Orlando B. Holway and Roy Ahlstrom were chief speakers of the Peace Day celebration held in the normal auditorium this morning under the auspices of the daughters of the American Revolution. Mr. Ahlstrom, winner of the ten dollar prize awarded by the D. A. R. to the writer of the best essay on national preparedness, delivered his oration, "Hyphenated Americanism," as a feature of the celebration. Mr. Holway with his thirty years' experience in military affairs, spoke with authority on the subject of preparedness in general, although, as the speaker reiterated, the day was supposedly one of peace. That discipline is what this country needs more than anything else in developing its national defenses was the theme of the general's talk.

"The American has plenty of elbow room, he can come and go where he pleases, and do what he likes with very little restraint," said the speaker, "but discipline is absolutely necessary in the development of an army. For that reason the system of self-government in our schools does not coincide with the plans of the army officers who would subject the youth of the country to higher authority, to which they should become accustomed."

General Holway advocated the establishment of voluntary companies of cadets in the high schools of the land, a system which is working out very satisfactorily in the city of Washington where practically every boy eligible belongs.

The normal school choral club assisted by the orchestra, rendered the "Star Spangled Banner" in concluding the peace celebration. Miss Helen Dorset presided at the meeting.

## LINE IS AUTHORIZED

Contract was given the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power company yesterday for the erection of an electric lighting line to the county poor farm. The job will cost \$1,050, and is to be completed by August 1. The line will begin on Mormon Coulee road near St. Michael's orphanage. The contract was let by members of the board committee it comprising E. W. Guenther, Leonard Kleeber, J. N. Nelson and M. S. Burton.

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## KONEY AND MATES DEFEAT THE REDS HOMERS AID CUBS

Giants Pound Cardinal Hurlers and Crawl Out of Last Place; Cubs on Rampage

CINCINNATI, May 18.—Boston hit Toney hard in the initial inning on Wednesday and when they continued to meet his curves with deadly effect in the second inning, he retired from the mound, Boston eventually winning, 7 to 1. Score:

R H E  
Boston . . . 5 10 0 0 0 0 1—7 12 1  
Cincinnati . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—1 4 2

Batteries: Hughes and Gowdy; Toney, Dale and Wingo.

Cubs 7, Dodgers 2

CHICAGO, May 18.—Home runs by Williams and Schulte put Wednesday's game beyond reach in the third and Chicago won, 7 to 2. The score:

R H E  
Brooklyn . . . 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2 10 1  
Chicago . . . 7 11 2 0 1 0 1—7 11 2

Batteries: Pieffer, Appleton, Mails and Miller; Packard and Archer.

Giants 9, Cards 3

ST. LOUIS, May 18.—By pounding Meadows and Steele for six extra base hits in the third and fourth innings, stealing bases at will on Snyder and taking advantage of St. Louis' error, New York beat the locals, 9 to 3. The victory pulled the Giants out of last place. Score:

R H E  
New York . . . 0 1 4 3 0 0 0 1—9 14 1  
St. Louis . . . 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 2—3 7 5

Batteries: Anderson, Rariden and Dooin; Doak, Meadows, Steele, Snyder and Broten.

## SENATORS AGAIN DEFEAT TIGERS BROWNS VICTORS

St. Louis Player Sets a League Record by Stealing Four Bases

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 18.—Washington won its fourth straight game from Detroit on Wednesday, 6 to 4. Harper became wild toward the end of the game and was succeeded by Ayers. Score: R H E

Detroit . . . 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 1—4 12 2  
Washington . . . 0 0 0 1 0 2 1 2—6 9 1

Batteries: Duhac, James and Stange; Harper, Mayer and Henry.

Browns 7, Macks 4

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 18.—St. Louis hit Philadelphia's pitchers hard in the early innings on Wednesday and won 7 to 4. Davenport kept the home team's hit scattered except in the sixth. Pick made a record for the season here by stealing four bases. Score: R H E

St. Louis . . . 0 3 2 1 0 0 1 0 0—7 11 0  
Philadelphia . . . 0 1 0 0 0 3 0 0 0—4 10 3

Batteries: Davenport and Hartley; Crowell, Sheehan, Bressler and Schang.

## WEATHER WINNER DURING PAST WEEK

NEW YORK, May 18.—Rain and cold weather have been the big winners in both the National and American leagues since Sunday. Of the 24 games scheduled in that time nine have been postponed. The American league was the worst sufferer, losing six.

But the rain, the cold and wild winds were not enough to stop the onrushing Giants. They pinched their game yesterday and by the winning, with Pittsburgh idle, climbed out of last place. It was the seventh straight win for the McGraw-Listas and now the newspaper head "Giants Win Again" is becoming as familiar as the early season stand by "Giants Lose Again."

By losing yesterday while the Boston Braves were trouncing Cincinnati, Brooklyn lost her undisputed hold on the top rung and now is tied with the Beantown boys for the position. There were no other changes in the standings.

In the American, Cleveland holds first place in spite of hard luck with the weather.

Hammer's Heart Has Tender Strain For the Champ

CHICAGO, May 18.—Ever Hammer, Chicago lightweight, appealed to the Wisconsin boxing commission today to remove the ban barring Freddie Welsh, champion, from fighting in Wisconsin for four months. Welsh was barred because he delayed thirty minutes in appearing for his bout with Hammer at Kenosha, Wis., recently. Hammer says his request for the removal of the ban is no criticism of the commission but he wants to "play fair" and promote good feeling in the fight game.

Hammer has a new training stunt. He has organized a semi-pro baseball club and will play left field.

Dundee Shades O'Leary

BUFFALO, N. Y., May 18.—Johnny Dundee shades Johnny O'Leary here last night. His better blocking and cleaner hitting offset the aggressiveness of O'Leary.

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Detroit	13	16	.448
Chicago	12	16	.429
Philadelphia	10	16	.385
St. Louis	9	16	.360

National League			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	14	7	.667
Boston	13	8	.619
Philadelphia	13	10	.565
Chicago	14	13	.519
St. Louis	13	16	.464
Cincinnati	12	17	.414
New York	9	13	.409
Pittsburg	11	16	.407

American Association			
	Won	Lost	Pct.
Louisville	17	9	.654
Minneapolis	12	8	.600
Columbus	12	8	.600
Indianapolis	12	10	.565
Toledo	11	10	.524
St. Paul	9	11	.455
Kansas City	10	14	.417
Milwaukee	6	20	.231

**ROUND ROBIN NET TOURNAMENT FIRST EVER HELD HERE**

A Round Robin tennis tournament, the first ever to be held in La Crosse, will be the first treat of La Crosse tennis enthusiasts. The tourney will start Monday, under the auspices of the La Crosse Tennis association and the Y. M. C. A. It will continue until June 24.

The position principle will be employed, a player's initial place in the list to be governed by his time of entry into the tournament. Challenges may be made to players next above or two places above in the list, the challenger, if he wins, to take the place in the list of the losing player. The best two out of three sets will determine matches.

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## HERO WINS TROPHY IN ST. ELOI BATTLE



A British soldier of the "Fighting Fifth" on his way back from the trenches after the battle of St. Eloi, a point south of Ypres. On his steel helmet he has attached a German eagle that he captured in the fight.

## WOLGAST DELIVERS AN ULTIMATUM TO MR. FRED WELSH

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, May 18.—Ad Wolgast, former lightweight champion, issued an ultimatum to Champion Freddie Welsh today. Ad declared that if Welsh does not agree to meet him before the end of the month he will claim the championship. Denver promoters have offered to stage a match between Wolgast and Welsh.

Value truth however you come by it; who would not pick up a jewel, though it lay on a dunghill.

## WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

**Yesterday's Homers**  
Williams, Cubs, off Pieffer, Dodgers.  
Schulte, Cubs, off Pieffer, Dodgers.  
Merkle, Giants, off Meadows, Cardinals.

The baseball spotlight was turned on Washington today, where the Senators and Indians hook up in a four round engagement. The Indians are leading Ban Johnson's league with the Senators half a game behind.

The Senators climbed within half a rung of the top of the ladder by taking its fourth straight from the Tigers.

Pick of the Athletics holds the season record for stolen bases. He pilfered four on Hartley of the Browns.

The new Cub lineup worked fine. Now if Manager Tinker can get a few more players the Cubs might win a pennant.

Rookies Mulligan and McCarthy cavorted at second and short like vets. They accepted fifteen chances between them.

Schulte and Williams each batted 1,000. Schulte went up four times and whaled out a double, a homer and walked twice. Long Cy made four safe hits in as many trips to the plate.

The Dodgers are tied with the Braves for first place.

The Giants are now out of the cellar and crowding Cincinnati for sixth position.

## ANTON THE GREEK IS GOING SOUTH

Anton the Greek, of Milwaukee, the miller who furnished local fight fans a deal of entertainment last fall, is to accompany Billy Gibson on the jaunt to Buenos Ayres, advices from Milwaukee inform.

Anton is closing up his business affairs in the Cream City.

## GIBBONS-LEWIS

NEW YORK, May 18.—Mike Gibbons of St. Paul, whose indifferent showing with Packey McFarland put him in mild disfavor with local fans, will try to regain prestige here tonight when he takes on Ted (Kid) Lewis at Madison Square Garden.

Each is sure of winning.

Daily Thought.

The mind that is cheerful in its present state will be adverse to all solicitudes to the future, and will meet the bitter occurrences of life with a placid smile.—Horace.

## U.S. MUST INTERVENE, SAYS GOV. FERGUSON



Gov. James E. Ferguson.

Governor Ferguson of Texas has issued a statement declaring for intervention in Mexico. "Since we have started we may as well finish the job. A temporary protection will accomplish nothing," he says.

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## PLANS MADE FOR IMPROVING PARK AT VIROQUA SOON

Swimming Pool Expected to Be Central Attraction; Playground for Boys Is to Be Popular

VIROQUA, Wis., May 18.—(Special.)—At a recent meeting of the businessmen it was decided to begin work of improving City park, which was purchased a year ago. A swimming pool sixty feet long and twenty feet wide will be located directly west of the pumping station.

**Skating Rink**  
The skating rink will also be laid out and for early use in the winter. A large number of trees have been planted at various places in the park during the past week. The band stand will be moved several rods farther east and nearer the entrance to the park, so as to enable automobiles to pass around it.

The southern portion of the park is to be used for a boys' playground.

**Viroqua Injured**  
Mrs. George Hall received news of the serious condition of her brother, Eli De Lap, a former resident of Viroqua who was injured while working on an elevator in Chicago.

**Local and Personal**  
The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Stricker, formerly of this city, but now residents of Alameda, Cal., will be sorry to hear of the serious illness of their baby daughter, who is suffering from infantile paralysis.

Miss Lulu Love, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. Love, and sister, Mrs. George McKenney, for the past few weeks, will leave within a few days for her home at Dubuque, Ia. She will be accompanied to Eau Claire by her mother, who will spend two weeks with her daughter there.

The family of William Edwards, long residents of this community, have sold their farm to Frank A. Chase and will move to La Crosse.

Walter Swain and family of Brookville have moved into the city and occupy the house recently vacated by the W. Alkens family, who have moved into the country.

Mr. and Mrs. Jorgen Moen enjoyed a visit from the latter's father, Charles Campbell of Cashton, a few days of this week.

Mrs. Jesse Thompson of Minneapolis, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. O. Larson for several

## DE SOTO CREAMERY TO BE BUILT ON OLD STATION SITE

Building Committeeman Goes to La Crosse to Arrange for Purchase of Old Ground

DE SOTO, Wis., May 18.—(Special.)—At the creamery meeting, held Monday at Ingersoll's hall, N. Frey, Rasmus Anderson and John Howarth were elected as building committee.

Mr. Frey, chairman of the committee, made a special trip to La Crosse Tuesday to confer with the Burlington railway officials in negotiations begun to procure a lease of the lots formerly occupied by that company's old depot on the south side.

The company's building expert will be here within a few days and the construction of the new creamery will begin as soon as the lease of the ground can be completed.

The association will be incorporated under the name of the De Soto Farmers' Creamery company with a capital of \$5,600.

**Local and Personal**  
Mrs. Josie McCormick of Soldiers Grove, was here the first of the week visiting relatives and looking over property.

J. H. Seymour and G. H. Hall of Redmond, returned Tuesday from a business trip to La Crosse.

Miller Thompson of Genoa, visited Tuesday in the village, the guest of his friend, L. A. Larson.

Harry Tulloch, the Genoa banker, recently sold two valuable Holstein bull calves, one to Mac Shumway of Trempealeau, and the other to Fred Jacobus of this vicinity.

J. H. McDonald of this village left Tuesday morning on a trip through the northern part of the state.

Charles Whitney has secured a position at Mason City, Iowa.

G. R. Bartholomew has just returned from a trip to Winona, where he went after his new motor boat, which is of the automobile type and one of the speediest on the river here.

C. M. Prindle of Genoa, leaves to take charge of a crew of state highway macadamizers under County Highway Commissioner Alex Ristow.

F. A. Adams and wife, together with Misses Irma Fritsch and Effie Jensen, motored from here to Prairie du Chien Saturday, returning via

al weeks, will return home today. She will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Henry Rogers.

Miss Gertrude Stout having completed her teaching duties at Cashton, has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. S. A. Whitely, who has been the guest of her friend Mrs. George McKenney, has returned to her home at Spokane, Wash.

Bertram Dunlap of Sioux City will arrive in the city Monday for a visit with his father, Warren Dunlap, who is critically ill.

Edward Peterson of Bristow was brought to Norris hospital in this city Saturday suffering from an infection of the eye.

Mrs. Sarah Rice will come from Minneapolis within a few days for a visit with the Dunlap and Weaver families of this city.

## OH JOY KIDS! SCHOOLS CLOSE AT CHASEBURG

Examinations for Diplomas and Promotions Taking Place This Week in Schools

CHASEBURG, Wis., May 18.—(Special.)—Friday, May 26, will be a day of joy for the school children for it marks the close of school for the summer vacation. Final examinations are being held this week for all grade promotions, and diploma examinations will be held Monday and Tuesday of next week.

The local school has accomplished much along agricultural lines this year, so beneficial to the large number of farm children that attend school here in town.

**Highway Is Assured**  
The new proposed highway, commencing at the R. Dammer home and terminating north of the depot, is now assured. Land belonging to A. Gilbertson, a part of the new right-of-way, has been appraised and consideration agreed upon. The bulk of the road will traverse land which is the property of A. Johnson and the board will have to reach a satisfactory purchase price before work can be commenced on the highway.

**Local and Personal**  
Miss Little Romigen left Monday on a visit to Minnesota points. She will be gone several weeks.

O. N. Hendrickson spent the week-end at home.

John Ring, who is employed at Westby, has left for that place after being home several days.

Melvin Johnson was a La Crosse business caller Monday.

Mrs. William Schwanke did shopping in La Crosse Monday.

A. L. Meigs of La Crosse was here on a business mission Tuesday.

Dr. W. H. Remer departed Tuesday for a vacation and study trip to several points, including Chicago, which will end June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Leuser were La Crosse visitors Monday.

Albert Veglahn motored to Coon Valley Tuesday.

**Quite So.**  
Plagiarism is theft extenuated by flattery none the less because unintentional. (In a printed German version this bon mot is signed O. E. W.)

train the following day, the rainfall in the meantime making automobilizing impossible.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Davis are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a baby girl at their home Tuesday.

Principal and Mrs. Lyle G. Thompson spent Sunday in the former's parental home at Gays Mills.

Frank Adams of this village, has purchased the Prairie du Chien hotel property known as the "Wisconsin House", which at present is under the management of Mrs. Eva Copper.

Dr. Andrew took his daughter, Miss Olive, to the Lutheran hospital at La Crosse Tuesday evening, where she is being treated for pneumonia and later will undergo an operation for appendicitis. She was accompanied by her mother and Mrs. J. W. Caldwell.

## HARMONY MAN DIES FROM HORSE KICK

Clarence Ludwig Succumbs from Injuries Sustained When Horse Kicks Him in Stomach

HARMONY, Minn., May 18.—(Special.)—Clarence Ludwig, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ludwig, is dead as the result of a horse kicking him in the stomach.

**Rally Postponed**  
The union temperance and prohibition rally has been postponed on account of the rain. It will be held next Sunday evening at the Opera house, beginning at 8 o'clock.

Arnold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tosten Appen, died at their home Tuesday evening from tuberculosis at the age of 28 years. Mr. Appen has been a sufferer from a complication of diseases for the past three years. He leaves his parents and several brothers and sisters.

**Funeral services** took place Saturday at 9 o'clock at the home and at 10:30 at the Norwegian Lutheran church. Rev. Gahardt Rasmussen officiated. Interment was in the Greenfield cemetery.

**W. C. T. U. Meets**  
The local W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. Mary Spencer Wednesday afternoon, May 24. The delegates have been appointed to attend the district convention at Mabel from the 19th to the 22nd.

**Local and Personal**  
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Aug Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Eddy of Newburg were guests of relatives last week.

A daughter came to gladden the home of Dr. and Mrs. Nels Roen on Wednesday.

Miss Ella Sanderson spent Saturday shopping in La Crosse.

Mrs. Maggie Keefe and daughter Leonia left last week for Lawler, Iowa, where they will make their home.

Elias Virak, who injured his foot in a tractor engine, is now able to go downtown on crutches.

Miss Alvina Westphal has returned to her home at Wykoff after a visit at the Emil Kralling home.

Mrs. Gustave Karsburg and son Walter are visiting relatives at Wells, Minn., and will return home this week.

C. M. Anderson, Cashier of the First National bank at Preston, was a Harmony caller Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Vang went to Cresco, Iowa, last week, where Mrs. Vang underwent a minor operation.

Marshal John Christanson is happy over the arrival of a son at his home last Monday.

Mrs. M. Conlan of Bankruft, Neb., is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Deuter, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kirkelie.

Miss Hannah Hanson has moved her millinery goods into the Herman Achatz building.

The Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. E. F. Kidder Saturday afternoon. A mothers' program was given. There was a small attendance on account of the rain.

Paul Johnson returned on Monday from a few days' visit with friends at Fayette, Iowa.

Messrs. Albert and Carl Appen arrived from Dakota last week to attend the funeral of their brother.

Mrs. L. C. Higbee returned Monday evening from a few days' visit with relatives at Waukon, Iowa.

Miss Mary Kidder closed a successful term of school Thursday in the Victory district.

**MRS. McVEAGH DEAD**  
CHICAGO, May 18.—Mrs. Frank H. McVeagh, wife of the former secretary of the treasury, died at her home in Washington yesterday after a long illness, according to information received here. Mrs. McVeagh formerly lived here. Her father was the founder of the old Commercial Bank.

**Raise in Sundaes**  
NEW YORK, May 18.—It's going to be a miserable summer—New York confectioners announced today a raise in ice cream sundaes due to increased cost of hay and gasoline—used in delivering cream, flavoring and coloring.

**LUMBER FIRM INCORPORATES**  
MADISON, Wis., May 17.—The Mayville Lumber company, Mayville, Wis., has incorporated with the secretary of state for \$40,000. The incorporators are H. J. Thielke, Walter Samm and Erwin Hamke.

**HAS WOMAN OFFICIAL**  
OSHKOSH, Wis., May 18.—Winnebago has a woman official for the first time in its history. She is Miss Mae Bennett, who was named abstractor by the county board to succeed George Letourneau.

Dissemble not for lying looks are as bad as lying words.

**NOTICE!**  
The Tenneson-Pederson Coal Co. partnership, has been dissolved by mutual consent, J. Tenneson and G. Pederson retiring from the company. R. W. Keyes, the third partner, takes over all the property and claims and assumes all debts of the company, and the business will be continued as usual at 214 King street under the name of the City Fuel Company.

All bills due the Tenneson-Pederson Coal Co. to be paid at the company's office, 214 King street, as usual.

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Viroqua, Smith Hdw. Co.

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Stores located wherever this paper circulates may honor "Wear-Ever" Coupons.

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Get your Kettle  
today!

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## NEW LISBON

NEW LISBON, Wis., May 18.—(Special.)—Mrs. McLaughlin and daughter Helen of Babcock spent Sunday at the Plunkett home.

Dr. Ritter of Needah and Miss Amanda Reinsneaur spent Sunday at Tomah.

Mr. William Plunkett spent Sunday here with his family.

J. Warren Stinson and Miss Avit Stinson were La Crosse visitors Monday.

William Barnes, Jr., representing the Stolzer Granite company of Portage, was at West Salem Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. S. Compton was in La Crosse Monday.

Miss Elsie Hodge is on the sick list.

Mrs. R. F. Harding from Black River Falls was a guest at the Elwell home Wednesday.

The Ladies of the Baptist church gave Mrs. Pearl Norton a surprise party and picnic supper Monday to celebrate her birthday.

Mrs. Lulu Debee from Merrill is a guest at the H. Kelk home.

Miss Emma Adrian has returned from a La Crosse hospital.

Mrs. Ida Myers, Needah, was a guest at Rev. Prussia's Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. E. Robinson entertained for Mrs. Myers Saturday.

Mrs. A. S. Marshall and son were callers at the J. D. Bolton and H. E. Elmer homes in Hustler Tuesday.

Attorney J. J. Hughes is at Madison and Chicago on business.

Mr. Frank Norton of Hustler was a caller here Wednesday.

C. V. Heath was a business caller in Mauston Tuesday.

The Misses Lillian and Olive Heath are confined to their home by illness. Miss Olga Benson has returned to her home in Hustler.

Mr. and Mrs. Reinsneaur are visiting in Hustler, Clifton and Camp Douglas.

Mrs. Y. Elwell was a business caller at La Crosse Wednesday.

Mr. Leonard Barnes is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. Edwin Robinson is spending a few days at the home of his son, C. C. Robinson, near Camp Douglas.

Mrs. Frank and Mrs. George Eberhart were callers here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Post are home.

## AMERICANS MARCH BY STARLIGHT AND PUT SCARE INTO BANDITS

BY H. D. JACOBS  
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

**FIELD HEADQUARTERS NEAR NAMIQUIPA.** (By Courier to Columbus, N. M., May 18.)—When in Mexico—go the Villistas one better.

That is the working policy of the American cavalryman scouring northern Mexico for Pancho Villa and his band. Surprise attacks, "hide outs" and all other ruses of Mexican warfare have been adopted, even refined, by the United States troops. They are quite as ready as their hunted enemies to take advantage of the country's geographical peculiarities and have found that in night marches they hold a large advantage over the bandits. Old campaigners in Mexico admit the average Mexican fighter will never go where he cannot see. Native guides leading American cavalrymen at night invariably lose their way.

Villa is the only Mexican who ever been put out of the running, the Mexicans find themselves at a big disadvantage eluding a foe who marches by starlight.

Forest fires are another thing obscuring the troop movements with thick clouds of smoke which settle low over the landscape like fog. The fires are due to campfires carelessly left burning and they spread. Few of them have reached the lowlands, however, and the grazing has not been endangered.

## BULK OF FORCES UNDER PERSHING ARE AT DUBLAN

COLUMBUS, N. M., May 18.—Ahe northern movement of the American troops in Mexico continued today. It is apparent that the major part of Pershing's army will be concentrated at Colonia Dublin, on the outskirts of Casas Grandes, 125 miles from the border.

Information regarding troop movements is being carefully censored here, but it is understood that the approach of the rainy season and the consequent difficulty of delivering supplies to the punitive expedition is at least one reason for the rapid concentration north of the original field base.

A permanent camp is being prepared at the Benjamin Post home. Mrs. Alice Mathson left yesterday for her home at Embro, Can.

Mrs. John Scribbins returned from an extended visit at Tomah.

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his general idea, serve their purpose in making a very strong and entertaining film.

His theme is in general the utter worthlessness of civilization, its inferiority to a natural state, and, in particular, the abominableness of certain phases of our American civilization. A remarkable viewpoint to take, surely, but proved in such a simple and yet such a convincing way that it may serve to make many people think about a number of things which never occurred to them before.

The first Kay-Bee comedy will be shown on this program. "Shorty Hamilton" will be the star in "A Rough Night."

ANOTHER BOMB

NEW YORK, May 18.—"Good morning, Officer Kirk, we had another bomb last night," was Janitor Cahill's greeting to the patrolman as he passed number 697 Fifth avenue. Nearly a dozen bombs have exploded there in the last month.

TAUSCHE FUNERAL SET FOR SATURDAY

Funeral services for the late E. J. Tausche, former La Crosse resident, who died last Saturday in San Francisco, will be held Saturday afternoon from the residence of Mr. Tausche's brother, Vincent Tausche, 593 West Avenue south. Services will be held at 2 o'clock. Burial will be made in the Mormon Coulee cemetery, Rev. Henry Andreas officiating.

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INSIDE HISTORY OF STATE SHOWN IN KEYES PAPERS

Connection of Former State Boss with Railroads Revealed by Letters of Historical Society

MADISON, Wis., May 18.—Among the most valuable collections of manuscripts that have recently been secured by the State Historical society are the papers of the late Judge E. W. Keyes of Madison, for many years the political "boss" of the state. Milo M. Quaife, superintendent of the society, made announcement of the character of the collection. The papers cover the entire history of statehood from the beginning in 1848 to the death of Judge Keyes in 1910. Much of the collection is in the form of political letters received and written. Mr. Quaife declares that there is much material of interest to national history.

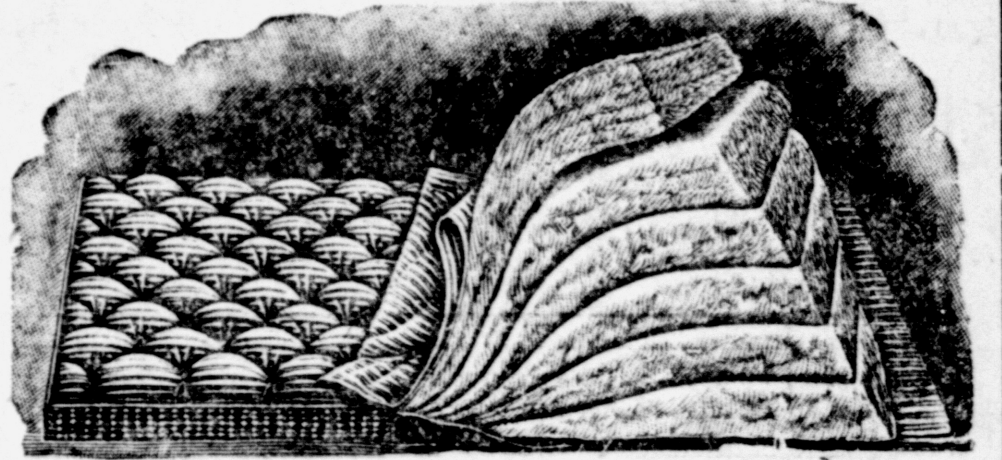
"The decade of the seventies is the most important one from the political point of view," says Mr. Quaife in discussing the manuscripts. "In 1870 Keyes was elected chairman of the republican state central committee, and an unreserved and complete account of his manipulation of the republican political machine in Wisconsin is contained in the letters of the period. The general practices of the party leaders, their methods of attacking their opponents, whether democrats or reformers, are interestingly illustrated.

"State politics receive a full measure of attention to the very end of the collection. Mr. Keyes has gained the confidence of the railroads during his chairmanship of the state central committee, and he had done all in his power in the seventies to prevent the Granger demands from

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Great care should be employed in the selection of a Mattress for your or the children's bed. Be sure that it is made of clean, sanitary material and that it is properly constructed to withstand long and hard use. The Ideal Mattress is made of felted cotton, because it is elastic, contains no animal matter, is so closely felted that vermin can not enter, and it will retain its shape.

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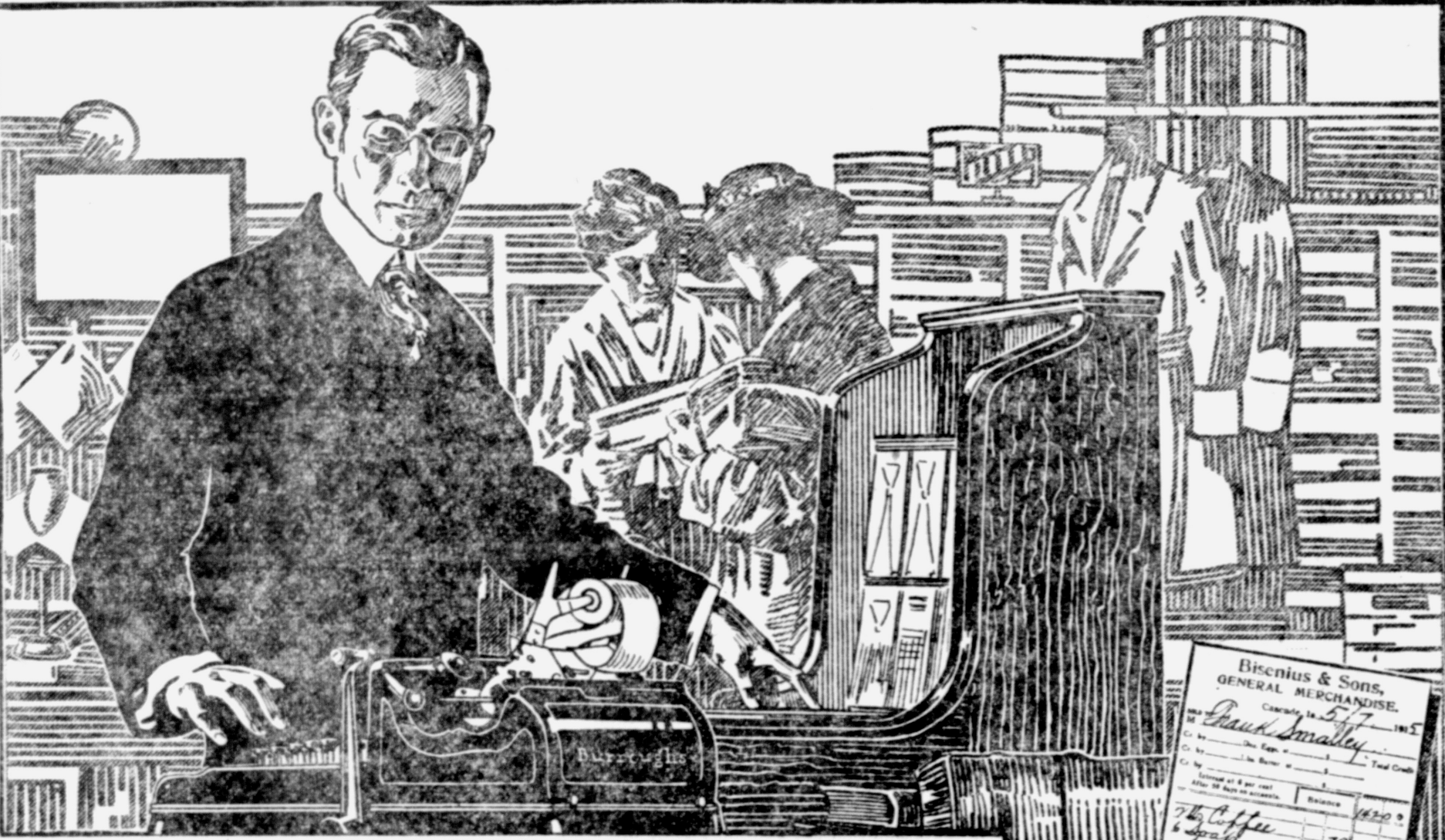
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IT'S usually the man that has already made a success of his business who is most anxious to find its weak points and strengthen them. And Mr. Bisenius is no exception to the rule.

He Had a Good Credit System, But—

Bisenius & Sons have built up a general store business in Cascade, Iowa. They carry a lot of credit accounts and, as is usual in rural districts, some of them run a long time. Consequently there are many additions on the credit slips and many footings to be carried forward from day to day and month to month.

To lessen the labor of checking over all those items, Mr. Bisenius bought a Burroughs Figuring Machine to reinforce his credit register.

And Then It Turned Up!

The machine can't make mistakes in adding—but human beings can—and when the Burroughs began to prove up the credit register accounts it found mistakes in addition and in carrying forward totals—as shown at the right.

And don't forget that Bisenius & Sons have a very reliable credit register and have always been careful in checking accounts. What happened in their case happens to thousands of merchants every day—not through any fault in the register, but because mistakes are inevitable in human calculations.

Safeguarding the Profits

You can't eliminate the liability of human error from pen or pencil bookkeeping—but no matter what system of

bookkeeping you use, you can check the figures with a Burroughs—before the error gets to the customer.

With his Burroughs, Mr. Bisenius knows his bills are right. No overcharges can offend a customer, no undercharges can steal away his profits.

Catching the Runaway Pennies

Mr. Bisenius was quick to see that cash sales needed watching, too. And there's no way to correct an error in adding cash items after the customer has left the store. The transaction is closed and a dime lost is lost for good.

So the Burroughs stands right on the counter, and is used to add up cash sales of three or more items.

The Burroughs, the cash register and the credit register—all three work together to increase the profits of Mr. Bisenius & Sons.

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In Mr. Bisenius' own words: "It's the most profitable fixture we ever put in our store. It saves not only money, but a great deal of time and mental strain."

No Business too Small for a Burroughs

Thousands of merchants—clear down to the smallest concerns in the smallest towns—are using Burroughs Machines to prevent mistakes, save time, and give better service to customers. Look in your telephone directory for address of nearest Burroughs office, ask your banker or write direct to the Burroughs Adding Machine Company at Detroit, New York, Atlanta, Kansas City, or San Francisco.

Bisenius & Sons, GENERAL MERCHANDISE, Cascade, Iowa

Figuring Machine showing calculations and errors.

Spotting the Error! The Burroughs can't make mistakes. It runs over all the items on a credit account, adds them automatically and reveals errors, before they mean a loss.

Better than Wrapping Paper Figuring cash sales on wrapping paper is common in retail stores. The Burroughs way is quicker, neater and always right. It stops the unseen losses that eat up profits.

restricting the roads too narrowly. Nevertheless he made use of the grangers for political purposes, whenever it was practical to do so making several canvasses of the state to estimate the strength of the Granger affiliations of its citizens. The confidence of the railroads did not terminate with his retirement from the state central committee, and during the eighties and nineties Keyes was employed with increasing frequency as the spokesman of the roads in facilitating favorable, or checking hostile legislation. Suggestions for a significant chapter in railroad history might be gathered from the Keyes papers during this period."

Three New Books

(By Henry Noble Sherwood, Ph. D.)

Do you believe that a divorce ought ever to be granted?

Do you believe a rich man can go to Heaven?

Do you believe in promiscuous alms giving?

These subjects and many others are adequately treated in Francis Greenwood Peabody's "Jesus Christ and the Social Question," a book now reprinted the twenty-second time since 1900. The author is at present Plummer professor of Christian morals in Harvard university and has published a number of other books. The present book is one of MacMillan's "Standard Library Series," and is therefore in reach of every reader of authoritative works relating to current problems.

Professor Peabody attempts in this study to examine the teaching of Jesus in its relation to some of the problems of modern life. Among these problems are found, the family, the rich, the poor, and the industrial order. The characteristics of the modern social question are stated; there is a regime of the relation of socialism to the social question; and a brief history of the modern interpretations of Christ.

On the whole the book is scholarly and most entertainingly written. No one interested in religious and social work can afford to be without it. Coming from a mature student and bearing the test of the reading public for sixteen years "Jesus Christ and the Social Question" now has a permanent place in all standard libraries. No one has better translated Christ's teaching into terms of our present life than Professor Peabody.

When the president of Columbia university speaks educators listen for by virtue of his high executive position and wide range of scholarship he speaks with authority. President Butler has brought together a number of his addresses and magazine articles in a revised edition of "The Meaning of Education," published by Charles Scribner's Sons, New York. The school men everywhere will welcome this book because it includes a number of new topics not found in the old edition, while President Butler may belong to the "old guard" in politics and he honorably mentioned for the temporary chairman of the coming national republican convention, he is, nevertheless, in educational circles non-partisan and beloved by all.

It would be impossible in short compass to set forth all the new subjects treated in this revised and eulogized edition. A few of the important ones are "Standards," "Kindergarten," "Secondary Education," "Principles of American Education," "Comenius," and "Five Evidence of Education."

President Butler's answer to the question, what are the evidences of an educated man, says: "Correctness and precision in the use of the mother tongue; refined and gentle man-

ners, which are the expression of fixed habits of thought and action; the power and habit of reflection; the power of growth; and efficiency, or the power to do."

Every American citizen is interested in our public schools. When a striking book is published dealing with any phase of the public schools a wide interest is manifested in it. Professor John Dewey tells us in his new book what new theories have been worked out recently by some of our schools. (Schools of Tomorrow, E. P. Dutton and company, New York.)

The schools of yesterday were designed to meet yesterday's needs; today new requirements are laid down. The schools of tomorrow are those successfully experimenting with the new requirements. Professor Dewey and his daughter, Evelyn, who is co-author of the book, visited such schools as Gary, Indiana, Fairhope, Alabama, and the Francis Parker schools of Chicago. Their book describes the schools visited thoroughly and shows many illustrations of school life in these schools. In this particular book is a most significant and informing study of educational conditions.

Professor Dewey believes the chief function of our public schools is to identify the child's school life with his environment and outlook. "To teach the child to live in the world in which he finds himself, to understand his share in it, and to get a good start in adjusting himself to it." This he considers fundamental in education and he draws for the schools visited illustrations of this principle. Every school teacher will get inspiration from Professor Dewey's book.

BOOSTS CUMMINS

CEDAR RAPIDS, Iowa, May 17.—Howard J. Clark, temporary chairman of the republican state convention here today, took "Americanism" as the keynote of his address and boosted Senator A. B. Cummins as the most available best fitted and typical candidate for the republican nomination for the presidency.

TALE OF HUSBAND WHO TURNS CRAVEN

Very humiliating is the lot of the wife whose husband turns craven at the time of crisis.

A strange and intensely fascinating story of a weak husband facing loss of fortune and reputation, and of his brave wife is the Morosco photoplay "The Code of Marcia Gray" coming to the Bijou theater on the Paramount program.

The detectives are waiting in the spacious hall impressed by the magnificence of the furnishings and the design of this palatial room.

While they wait the wife goes to the broken-spirited financier and by her support and pleadings arouses him to face his punishment.

Thus buoyed up he approaches the officers of the law but his nerve weakens and in an intensely dramatic and superbly carried bit of acting the decisive step is accomplished. Friday and Saturday this week.

HAIR GRAY? THEN APPLY SULPHO-SAGE

It Darkens Gray Hair Evenly—No Dye—Harmless

If your hair is gray, streaked with gray, permanently or just turning gray or if your hair is dry, harsh, thin or falling, simply shampoo hair and scalp a few times with SULPHO-SAGE Hair Color Restorer. Every strand of hair (whether gray or not) becomes evenly dark, soft, glossy, fluffy, full of life and health, full of life and health, full and heavy and fascinating, and so beautifully and evenly darkened no one could suspect you had applied SULPHO-SAGE. It is absolutely harmless, and no dye, yet not even a trace of gray shows after applying SULPHO-SAGE. Give it a trial. Sold on a money-back guarantee, 50c a bottle at C. A. Begun, succ. to O. T. Erhart, La Crosse, Wisconsin. Out-of-town folks supplied by mail.

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Ageratum, Aster, Cannas, Coleus, Daisies, Geraniums, Heliotrope, Pansies, Petunias, Salvias, Verbenas, Snapdragons, Sinias, etc., at reasonable prices ready at—

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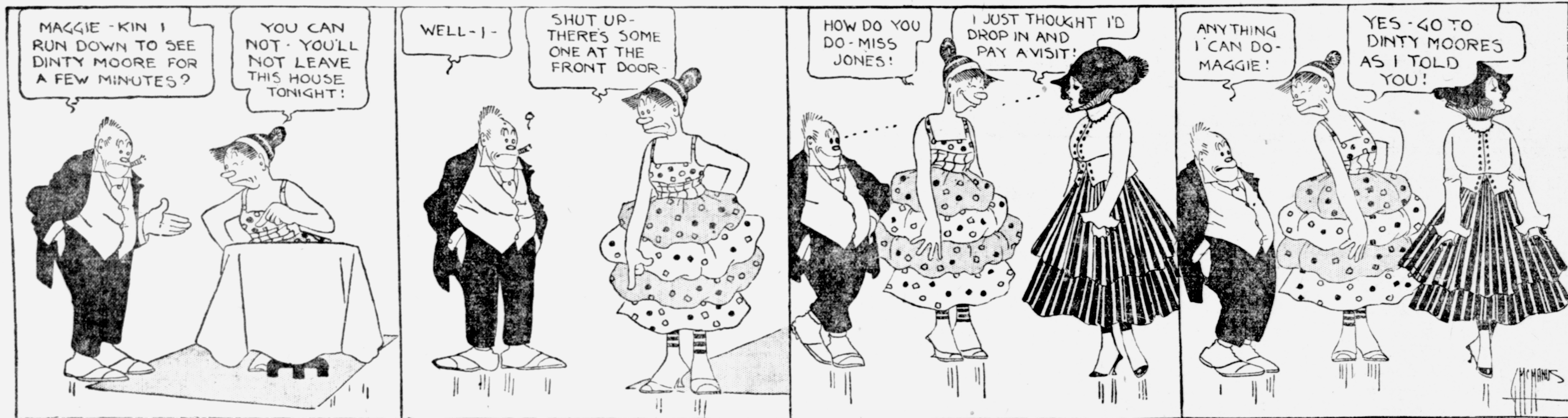
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BRINGING UP FATHER

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The TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

THE BABY'S BLUNDER

BY CATHERINE CRANMER

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John Elliott lay flat on his back in a hospital bed and stared at the bare and sanitary walls of his box-like room. His drawn face showed evidences of mental suffering as well as of physical torture inflicted by the grip, which had overtaken him in late springtime after he had successfully evaded it all winter. It was bad enough to be shut up in a hospital at any time, but to be thrust

from one's Pullman berth into an ambulance in a city a thousand miles from home at the very beginning of a day on which a big business deal should have been consummated was worse than bad. Still, even that was better than taking chances with pneumonia in a high altitude.

It did not add to John's peace of mind that the girl he had once loved lived in this city, whither she had come at the time of her marriage to a wealthy manufacturer. He had always felt that her father's rehabilitation in business just after her marriage had a direct connection with the match which all of Dolly's friends had considered a wholly unsuitable one, owing to the difference in age and tastes between her and the middle-aged man she married. John clenched his slender hands among the bedclothes as he thought of what he would like to do to a man who would sacrifice his daughter for financial profit. Then he gave his body a quick twist in an effort to turn on his side, but grunted ruefully at the twinges of pain that resulted.

He became vaguely conscious that some object had appeared in his doorway, but before his aching eyes had discerned that it was other than a nurse looking in, he was greeted by a little child's caressing voice.

"Poor Mr. Man," cooed the voice, as its owner, a dainty blonde maiden of three in a white frock and a flowery-trimmed hat, tripped into the room and approached his bedside. "Does 'oo head hurt 'oo? Don't 'oo want me to ture it?"

"Bless your heart, little fairy, I believe you could cure anything," John's delighted eyes were so busy feasting upon the dainty fact that he didn't notice what it was she dropped at the bedside as she reached out her little hands to his feverish forehead, and began to "smooove out the hurt."

With all the motherly tenderness she would have bestowed on her favorite doll, the child patted John's aching temples, smoothed his eyelids and talked an alluring prattle in the most sympathetic of baby

voices. But the fairy's godmother, in the guise of a uniformed nurse girl, appeared at the door and summoned the little creature from the realm of healing. The little fairy shot her deep blue eyes from the nurse to the patient in a look of sly comprehension, and began smooth-

QUIT MEAT WHEN KIDNEYS BOTHER

Take a glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder troubles you.

No man or woman who eats meat regularly can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which excites the kidneys, they become overworked from the strain, get sluggish and fail to filter the waste and poisons from the blood, then we get sick. Nearly all rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, dizziness, sleeplessness and urinary disorders come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage or attended by a sensation of scalding, stop eating meat and get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salt is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate the kidneys, also to neutralize the acids in urine so it no longer causes irritation, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to keep the kidneys clean and active and the blood pure, thereby avoiding serious kidney complications.

ing out her crumpled gown preparatory to obeying the summons. Then it was that she discovered what she had dropped on the floor.

"Mercy goodness!" she exclaimed, stooping down and bringing up a tiny green basket filled with purple and yellow pansies. "Muvver sent you this, and I mos' fordid it. Dood bye."

After the child had gone, John realized that the basket of pansies remained in his hand. He removed a card that peeped from the basket and on the side that first caught his eye was written: "Pansies for thoughts, you know; so be assured you are not forgotten." Turning the card mechanically, he whispered in sudden surprise as he read the name: "Mrs. Albert Brown Watkins."

Which was the present name of Dolly Owen, the girl he had loved. A cold sweat broke out over him and with it came a queer feeling that all his physical mechanism had suspended operation. His bewildered mind was at first as incapacitated as his body, but slowly he began to realize that there was quite as much pain as pleasure in being remembered by Dolly. As a reactionary troop of acute pains rushed over his now burning and trembling body, he even began to wonder if she had not sent her little daughter there as just one more way of reminding him of what he had missed. He was snappish toward the nurse when she came in at noon to take his temperature and to give him some broth. He mentally dubbed her a transplanted scrubwoman and sneered at the fiction writers who have pictured trained nurses as a species of super-women. When she offered to put the pansies in water, he snatched the basket from her with such a forbidding frown that she was glad to escape before his wrath became vocal.

Late that afternoon, John lay in a delightful state of semi-slumber. His mind was still half filled with a dream he had been having of weaving pansies into a crown for Dolly Owen's golden head when from the corridor came the sound of a voice

that seemed to fit into his dream. A lady was in conversation with John's nurse.

"Quite by accident I found that my nurse-maid made a stupid blunder this morning and took my little girl to Room 260 with some flowers I had sent to dear old Mr. Thrickmorton, who is the paralytic in Room 360, you know. So I came over to see the lonely old soul, and, as I saw you coming out of 260 as I passed, I'd like to say that I hope my little

DOING THEIR DUTY

Scores of La Crosse Readers Are Learning the Duty of the Kidneys

To filter the blood is the kidneys' duty.

When they fail to do this the kidneys are weak.

Backache and other kidney ills may follow:

Help the kidneys do their work. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—the tested kidney remedy.

La Crosse people endorse their worth.

Mrs. E. E. Burrows, 421 Vine St., La Crosse, says: "I suffered severely from pain across my shoulders and through my sides and hips. Doan's Kidney Pills freed me of the pain and the cure has been permanent."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Burrows had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

girl caused your patient no annoyance this morning."

"Well," came the nurse's voice, "he did have quite a turn just after she left, but it may not have been caused by her visit."

"Oh, I'm so sorry." The lady's voice was softly penitent. "Do you think it would be an additional annoyance if I went in now and apologized?"

"Oh, no, madam, I'm sure it would not." As John slowly opened his eyes, he could just make out in the twilight the outline of a slender woman's figure in white entering his door. She approached him rather haltingly, but stopped short when he suddenly raised himself and held out his hands toward her, with the one word—"Dolly!"

Before either of them had time to think, Dolly was kneeling at the bedside with her blushing face hidden in his outstretched hands. A moment later, came sane thinking into John's head, and he sank back upon his pillow with a groan.

"It's like hitting a man when he's down, Dolly, to give me these glimpses of the joy that might have been mine."

"I don't understand, John," she faltered. Then, recalling that he had of course thought the flowers and the shrank from him and covered her face with her hands. Light also began to break upon John, and once more he raised himself from his pillow.

"I'm afraid I've been boorish about it all, and I'm just beginning to put two and two together and see that it's an unfortunate accident." He sighed heavily. "Why should I ever have thought you'd want to cheer up my sick room?"

"But I do want to, John; won't you let me?" She looked appealingly at him. "With your husband's full permission, of course," retorted John suddenly becoming sarcastic again. "My husband? Why John, didn't you know my husband was killed a

year ago in a fire panic in one of his own factories?"

"No, Dolly. I was in Honolulu last year and out of touch with things here."

Ten minutes later, just as the nurse, with a warning little cough, was about to enter the room with John's supper, the patient released a hand which he had been holding in his own fond clasp and whispered ecstatically: "That blessed little baby! Her blunder has saved my life!"

He that on fortunes wheels ascends higher than he should, must arm himself with patience to descend lower than he would.

OUCH! LUMBAGO?

Try Musterole. See How Quickly It Relieves.

You just rub MUSTEROLE in briskly, and usually the pain is gone—a delicious, soothing comfort comes to take its place. MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. Use it instead of mustard plaster. Will not blister.

Doctors and nurses use MUSTEROLE and recommend it to their patients.

They will gladly tell you what relief it gives from Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chills, Frosted Feet, Colds of the Chest (it often prevents Pneumonia).

At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for \$2.50. Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.





HAVE YOU LOST SOMETHING?

# The TRIBUNE WANT ADS

CAN HELP YOU FIND IT.

A TELEPHONE CALL TO 323 WILL BRING OUR "WANT AD MAN" TO YOUR DOOR.

## CLASSIFIED WANT AD RATES

Under any classification one-half cent per word for each insertion. No single insertion for less than fifteen cents.

A MONTHLY RATE of fifty cents per line per month is made on standing ads. Nothing less than three lines accepted under this rate.

TELEPHONE YOUR AD TO THE TRIBUNE office any time before noon, and it will be inserted the same day.

BOTH PHONES 323

## WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Few weeks completes. Actual experience. Careful instructions. A method that has placed thousands in good positions. Can we help you. Write, Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis. Established 1893. 5 13 19

WANTED—Learn barber trade. Best paying trade in the U. S. Position guaranteed. Can make from \$25 to \$75 while learning. Write for catalog, Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Iowa. 5 13 19

WANTED—Good piano player, not a boozier, one that will tend to business. W. M. Chamberlain, R. 2, South Salem Road. 5 16 19

CARPENTERS WANTED—Apply Contractors Superintendent, Rubber Mills. 5 8 20

WANTED—Young man to drive delivery wagon. 300 South Third. 5 10 19

WANTED—Finishing carpenters. Apply Western Construction Co., St. Francis hospital. 5 10 19

WANTED—A barber with master license. Write or call at once. E. L. Deusch, Norwalk, Wis. 5 15 18

WANTED—Young man to deliver and work around store. F. W. Woolworth Co. 5 18 19

WANTED—One or two young men. Frommes Chemical Co. 5 4 19

WANTED—Chauffeur. Salzer Seed Co., La Crosse, Wis. 5 16 18

WANTED—Steady boy. Must be over 16. Tillman Brothers. 5 18 19

WANTED—Upholsterers. Tillman Brothers. 5 18 19

## SALESMEN

WANTED—Man not under 30 years to train for salesman's position. Must have sales ability. Pay while in training. Inquire J. H. Linderman, 519 Kink street, city. 5 17 18

## AGENTS

AGENTS—Write for free particulars about our latest specialty; it's a fast seller and easily demonstrated. Address The Standard Specialty Co., Redwood Falls, Minn. Try it once. Good prospects in this territory. 5 16 22

AGENTS WANTED for rich cheap clay loam clover lands, easy terms, in our co-operative settlements near Crandon, Forest county. References required. Apply to Per-Ola Land Company, 250 Main, Crandon, Wis. 5 9 22

## WANTED—Female Help

WANTED—Middle aged lady to keep house for two brothers on farm, or old couple, capable of helping with the work around the farm. Write Davik Bros., Viroqua, Wis. 5 17 18

WANTED—Girl for office work. Must have good working knowledge of the English language. Address M. O. Tribune office. 5 16 20

WANTED—Women in pickling department. Onalaska Pickling and Canning Co. New phone 22 Onalaska, old phone 2074. 5 17 18

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No cooking. 710 Vine. 5 10 19

WANTED—Experienced girl for general housework. 416 South Sixth. 5 5 19

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. John G. Moore, 409 South Fourteenth. 5 17 19

WANTED—Young girl for general housework. 128 S. 14th St. 5 3 19

WANTED—Girls at Modern Steam Laundry. 5 15 19

WANTED—A nurse girl, 223 South Fifth. 5 15 18

WANTED—Girl at the New Dairy Lunch, 307 Main. 5 18 19

WANTED—Competent cook. Apply 435 South Fourth. 5 13 18

WANTED—Dishwasher and dining room girl. Jefferson hotel. 5 17 19

## REAL ESTATE For Sale or Trade

145 ACRES Good heavy sandy loam, part clay loam; 30 acres under plow; 20 acres meadow land; balance timber and pasture; all fenced; good 6-room frame house; nice grove of the trees; buildings facing Devils lake; good barn and hay shed, granary, ice house, hog house and hen house, one-quarter mile of nicest lake shore on north shore of Devil's lake; best bass fishing lake in the state; right on main road and telephone line; close to school; only four miles from Webster; a good hunting town on the Soo line, 2 miles to one station and only 65 miles from Superior or Duluth. This farm also joins another lake; this would be one of the finest farms and summer resorts combined; nice hardwood and pine trees; good shade, all along the shore; room for many cottages; good productive soil; no stone. Price \$3,700 for quick sale; half cash; balance easy terms at six per cent interest. J. H. Jensen, Grandenburg, Wis. 5 18 20

FOR SALE—Rich clay loam clover lands in our co-operative settlements near Crandon, county seat, Forest county. Low prices, easy terms. Write for booklets written under supervision state authorities. Per-Ola Land Company, 250 Main, Crandon, Wis. 5 9 22

FOR SALE—20 room hotel and bar in railroad town of 1,000. Feed barn in connection. Reasonable if taken at once. Address Hotel, care La Crosse Tribune. 5 6 31

FOR SALE—Summer cottage locations in "Shore Acres" on Mississippi. Buy now, build later. \$100 buys acre. Terms if desired. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth. 3 27 19

FOR SALE—A story and a half house, partly modern; six rooms downstairs finished upstairs unfinished. 1728-A. 17 19

FOR SALE—Corner residence, fine shade trees. 803 South Eleventh. 5 12 18

FOR SALE—One lot north of 149 South Sixth. Inquire L. J. Schams, Bangor. 5 16 22

FOR SALE—A 14 room house, partly modern. Inquire 823 So. Sixth street. 5 16 19

FOR SALE—One frame building, 24 x 40, \$50, if removed at once. Inquire at Arenz Shoe Store, 323 Pearl street. 5 12 19

FOR SALE—Established saloon business, including buildings, etc. Inquire Eighth and Market streets. 5 1 31

FOR SALE—A large lot with good 5 room house and barn, near high school and normal, \$2,000. Write A. B. C. care of Tribune. 5 9 19

FOR SALE—First class lot on Hillview, facing park, across from city green houses. Call 907-M or address L. T. care of Tribune. 4 12 19

FOR SALE—Nice cottage, cheap; pay monthly. Box 322, City. 5 18 20

FOR SALE—Lot, 23rd and Vine, \$300. Call 1816 State. 5 12 18

FOR SALE—Seven room house with bath. Inquire 920 Main. 5 15 6 14

## HOMESTEADS

COLVILLE INDIAN RESERVATION, Washington, open for settlement. Drawing July 27. About 500,000 acres. Fruit, farm and dairy lands. Complete sectional map and description. Postpaid \$1.00. Soldiers, sailors (or their widows) of the civil or Spanish wars may register by agent. Write us for free blank forms. Smith & McCrea, Room 782 Eagle Bldg., Spokane, Wash. 5 17 7 15

## PIANOS FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Piano and Patterson automobile, five passenger. Sell reasonably. Party leaving. Inquire 531 King. Mrs. Childress. Phone 1256-R. 5 17 19

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Belgium mare weighing 1,500 pounds, heavy in foal; also Percheron mare, weight 1,450 pounds, 6 years old; black horse 5 years old, weight 1,000 pounds; double harness. Bargain to a quick buyer. Call 130 North Seventh St. 5 17 19

NEW WAY Concrete Mixer. Entirely new, large size; powerful Novo engine. Bargain for quick sale. 417 South Third street. La Crosse, Wis. 5 18 20

FOR SALE—One walnut bedstead, two oak bedsteads, four oak chairs, one couch. Domestic sewing machine, reasonable. New phone 1256-R. 531 King. 5 13 19

FOR SALE—Household goods at 803 South Fourth, upstairs. Party leaving city. Call after 6 p. m. 5 18 20

EXCELLENT paying grocery in city; good business; fine location. Bargain for somebody. Address "Grocer" Tribune. 5 12 6 11

FOR SALE—Hotel business, favorably located, good money maker. Address Hotel, care of Tribune. 5 16 18

FOR SALE—Fine driving horse, good rubber tired top buggy, blankets, robes, etc. New phone 1454-M or 1713-A. 5 15 20

FOR SALE—A reed baby buggy, large oak dresser, child's bed, all in good condition. New phone 573-C. 5 18 19

FOR SALE—Established saloon business in La Crosse. Address Bar, care of Tribune. 5 1 19

FOR SALE—Automobile elevator, cheap. Modern Steam Laundry. 5 1 19

ORGAN BARGAINS—Good toned organs, \$5 and up. Klavye Bros. Piano Co., 603 Main street. 5 18 6 17

FOR SALE—Second hand bicycle in good condition. Phone 1789-A or call 611 Division. 5 18 19

COLUMBIA double disc records, 65c. Weis' Book Store, 533 Main. 5 1 31

FOR SALE—23 foot launch hull. Call at 629 North Ninth street. 3 28 19

FOR SALE—Household goods. 616 King. Call Wednesday evening to Friday noon. 5 17 18

BICYCLES—\$20 to \$60. Weis Book Store, 533 Main street. 5 1 31

FOR SALE—Bay horse, cheap. P. R. Hickisch & Son. 5 2 19

FOR SALE—Dray outfit, \$150. Inquire 319 Jay street. 5 13 16

FOR SALE—A parlor couch in good condition, cheap if taken at once. 925 Division. 5 17 19

FOR SALE—Horse, wagon and cart. Call 2023. 5 15 19

FOR SALE—Leather lounge and pillow. 618 Cass. 5 17 20

FOR SALE—Gas stove. Call mornings. New phone 1397-R. 5 16 18

FOR SALE—New houseboat. Can be seen at Eagle Bluff. 5 16 22

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Good size office room with light, heat and telephone service; reasonable. E. G. Boynton, Room 1 Batavian National Bank building. 5 17 19

FOR RENT—Two bright connecting rooms with private entrance, suitable for two, three or four young men. Rent reasonable. Inquire 331 North Seventh, 6 to 8 p. m. 5 17 19

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping to reliable parties only. 510 South Fourth St. 5 17 19

FOR RENT—Three south rooms, modern except heat, suitable for one or two people, 718 Cameron avenue. Inquire 812 Cass. 5 15 19

FOR RENT—Store for shoe or handy store, 1219 West avenue south. Inquire 803 South Eleventh street. 5 15 20

FOR RENT—Lower floor of duplex house for the summer; all modern, furnished and very desirable. New phone 1775-M. 5 8 19

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms, with or without board. Mrs. Fischer, 627 Vine. 5 15 19

FOR RENT—Two office rooms over J. Bartel Co. store. Inquire at 100-102 South Front street. 5 11 13

FOR RENT—Furnished cottage at Dreshbach, with canvas screened porches. New phone 573-C. 5 16 27

FOR RENT—Four furnished rooms, modern, for light housekeeping. 712 Cass. 5 16 19

FOR RENT—After June 15, a furnished seven room house. Phone 551-C. 5 10 19

FOR RENT—Two front office rooms on second floor. Baker-Niebuhr Co. 4 29 19

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 516 Division. 5 17 19

FOR RENT—Three rooms and one sleeping porch upstairs. 1701 Adams. 5 17 19

FOUR ROOM FLAT, 329 South Third street, \$14. Inquire C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl street. 5 18 20

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room, 182 South Seventh. 5 13 19

FOR RENT—One large furnished room, modern. 631 State. 5 13 19

FOR RENT—Rooms. Cheapest in city. 315 Pearl. 5 15 18

SEVEN ROOMS, modern. 1021 Jackson. 5 15 19

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 503 Vine. 5 15 27

FOR RENT—Six room upper modern flat, city heat call 515 South Fifth. 5 6 19

FOR RENT—Furnished front room. 816 King. 5 15 18

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 317 South Eighth. 5 18 31

FOR RENT—Modern furnished rooms. 136 South Eighth. 5 18 23

## MISCELLANEOUS

YES—Everybody wants the new polishes this spring that are made in La Crosse, because they are so easy and reliable, leaving a bright clean surface. "Grime-Go" for silver, brass and mirrors. "E-Z-est" for furniture and woodwork. Sold by Bentler Grocery Co., Fourth and Market; W. L. Dittman, 335 West avenue north; "The Little Shop," 628 Main. 5 18 20

ORDERS TAKEN and promptly filled for wooden bird houses and cement bird baths. E. H. Lucning, phone 1059-C. 5 17 20

WANTED TO RENT—Small house or four or five rooms by two people, not modern. Call 1518 Jackson street in evening. 5 17 19

WANTED—By young lady, one large or two small unfurnished rooms with board and wash. Address C. W. care Tribune. 5 16 31

SEND YOUR UMBRELLAS to Mrs. C. M. Cordell for repairing or recovering. Second floor 1530 Mississippi. New phone 1728-M. 5 16 18

WANTED—Plain sewing to do at home, 1519 King street, over garage. New phone 735-R. 5 13 19

WANTED—Shedland pony; safe for children to drive. Address 1020, R. 1, Holmen, Wis. 5 12 18

WANTED—Carpenter work by experienced carpenter. 1112 Winnebago. Phone 376-A. 5 8 6 7

N. A. MAGNUSSEN, 711 Market St. Cement work of all kinds. Reasonable prices. New phone 1056-R. 5 5 6 4

MRS. K. LEVY, dress and suit making; pleating done. Workmanship guaranteed. 421 South Fourth, upstairs. New phone 347-Blue. 5 1 31

WATCHMAKING, engraving. Lee Young, 206 South Fourth street, work guaranteed. 4 22 5 21

CURTAINS DONE UP. New phone 1415-M. 5 6 6 5

## LOST

LOST—May 12, 1:30 to 3:30, between Grand Crossing and South side, bill fold containing one \$10 bill, balance fives. Liberal reward. Return to O. Brown, 1701 Onalaska avenue, city. 5 16 22

LOST—Gray Mackinaw coat, containing some money. Finder call 1875-R. Reward. 5 18 20

## FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION lends money on real estate. Study its monthly payment plan. 5 4 19

## Carpet and Rug Cleaning

WE take out all the spots and brighten the color. Make them look like new. At Pitzer's, Dyers and Cleaners. Both phones. 5 15 6 14



**A Column For Chicken Fanciers**

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from pure bred Barred Rocks. Bred to lay 15 eggs \$1.00, 100 \$5.00. Hemleben Bros., 1698 Market street. 4 20 5 13

EGGS FOR HATCHING—White Rocks, Halbach stock, \$2.00. White Leghorns, \$1.00. J. L. Gardner, 424 Oakland street, La Crosse, Wis. 4 22 5 21

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS for hatching, \$1 per 15; \$4 per 100. New phone 931-A. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. 5 8 20

SINGLE COMB RHODE ISLAND RED eggs for hatching, \$1.00 per 15. Heavy layers. G. Hayek, 919 Janison. 5 4 19

SILVER CAMPINE EGGS from best stock, \$1.50 per 15 after May 15. Frank G. Roth, Majestic building. 5 15 20

## Automobiles for Sale

BARGAINS in good used cars. Five passenger 30 horsepower Patterson, \$265. Five passenger Studebaker, \$275. Ford delivery car, \$275. Elsen & Philips, 110 South Second street. New phone 61. 5 18 18

NEW 1916 SAXON 4 cylinder roadster with three speed transmission, runs 30 to 40 miles on one gallon of gasoline, \$395. F. O. B. factory. Elsen & Philips, 110 South Second street. New phone 61. 5 18 6 17

COEY \$1,000 cars \$695; buyer gets \$75 each sale made anywhere, one-third down, warranted 5 years. Prize winners! Hill climbers! Will drive to La Crosse via Sparta to demonstrate. Write me, W. E. Butt, Viroqua, Wis. 5 18 24

FOR SALE—Late 1915 model 5 passenger car, run only 1,800 miles; good as new. Must sell on account of leaving city. Call 611 Division street, or phone new phone 1789-A. 5 16 19

CADILLAC, electric starter, \$500. Kissel Kar, slightly used, \$900, with extra tire. Delivery truck, first class condition, \$450. General Motor Car Co., 207 State. 4 25 5 24

1916 MARION 6, \$1,090; Dort 4, \$665; 1916 Imperial, \$995. Berling & Schurz Co., 413 North Third. 4 29 5 28

1916 Hupmobile roadster, \$1,085; touring car, \$1,085; 7 pass. car, \$2,225. P. Hofweber, 113 Main street. 3 31 4 30

## FORD PRICES

Ford roadster .....\$390  
Touring car .....\$440  
Delivery car .....\$410 up  
F. O. B. factory.  
HARRY DAHL, FORD GARAGE.  
4 17 19

## AUTOMOBILES

Stearns-Knight, the ultimate car. E. Nein, 125 W. Ave. S. service station. Savage Garage, 419 State. 4 27 19

## FOUND

FOUND—Fox hound, white with black and tan spots. License No. 104. S. P. Markle. Phone 1243-R. 5 16 20

FOUND—Money, last week. Call 408-A new phone after 6 evenings. 5 17 19

## Wall Paper Cleaning

WALL PAPER and fresco cleaning a specialty. Call 1237-M. 4 22 5 21

## STOVES & FURNITURE

WE PAY the highest prices for second hand furniture, stoves, carpets, rugs, rubbers, metals. Jacobs, 223 Pearl street. New phone 555-R. 4 21 5 20

REMEMBER W. Dailey buys anything and sells everything, second hand furniture, stoves, brass, copper, rugs, rubber, metals. 625-27 So. 3rd St. Phone 1697-M. 4 22 5 21

SECOND-HAND furniture & stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 3 17 19

## CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 5 18 20

## WANTED TO BUY

WANTED TO BUY—Second hand typewriter with standard keyboard. Must be in good condition and cheap. Typewriter, care of Tribune. 5 15 20

WANTED TO BUY—A lathe. New phone 429-M. 5 17 19

## RESTAURANTS

EAT at Van Slyke's Restaurant. Short orders and regular dinners, 25c. 118 North Third street. 5 1 31

PEARL RESTAURANT—Pure food; quick service. Dinners 25c. Short orders specialty. Ross & Gee, 227 Pearl street. 4 21 5 20

## DRAYING

MOVING promptly, carefully done. Prices reasonable. Baggage, craying. H. Britting, 1089-A, 084 old. 5 2 6 2

## NURSES

COMPETENT NURSE will take confinement cases at her home or go nursing by hour or week. 934 Division street. New phone 1076-M. 5 8 6 7

## Carpet, Rug Cleaning

CARPETS and rugs cleaned by auto vacuum cleaner. Phone 1796-R. J. E. Reeves, 418 Caledonia. 4 3 19

## Daily Markets

Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Wholesale  
Strawberries, 24 qt. case .....\$2.50  
Apples, Wash., box .....\$2.00  
Apples, Wine Sap, box .....\$2.00  
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl .....\$2.50  
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl .....\$2.50  
Oranges, Sunkist Navel 80 size .....\$2.50  
Oranges, Sunkist Navel 96 size .....\$2.50  
Oranges, Sunkist Navel, 112 size .....\$2.75  
Oranges, Sunkist Navel, 126 size .....\$2.85  
Oranges, Sunkist Navel, 150 size .....\$3.50  
Oranges, Sunkist Navel, 176 size .....\$3.75  
Oranges, Sunkist Navel 200 size .....\$4.25  
216, 250 size .....\$4.25  
Oranges, Valencia, box .....\$3.75  
Oranges, Med. Sweet, all sizes .....\$4.00  
Cider, clarified 1/2 bbl .....\$4.00  
Cider, steam refined .....\$4.00  
Cider, crab apple, 1/2 bbl .....\$5.50  
Pine Apples, crate .....\$3.00  
Bananas .....\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50  
Lemons, 300 to 360 box .....\$4.50  
Grape fruit, per box .....\$4.50  
Celery, California, per doz ......90  
Potatoes, Minn., bu ......90  
Potatoes, Wisconsin, bu ......90  
Rutabagas, per hd .....\$5.00  
Onion, Texas Wax, per crate .....\$2.00  
Cabbage, new, per crate .....\$3.00  
Carrots, per tub .....\$1.25  
Parsnips, per tub .....\$1.25  
Cherries, Calif., per box .....\$2.50  
Pineapples, per crate .....\$3.00

NEW YORK STOCKS  
NEW YORK, May 18.—Price recoveries from losses suffered yesterday were general on the stock exchange at the opening today. Crucible opened at \$6, up 1 1/2. United States Steel gained 3/4 at \$94 1/2. Industrial Alcohol was up one. Studebaker half and Republic Steel 3/4. Westinghouse opened off 1/4 at 62 1/2. Reading led the advance during the morning, selling at 94 1/2, another high record. Steels high for the morning was 85 1/2. Rails generally except Union Pacific showed gains. Canadian Pacific advanced 1 1/2 to 176. Sales during the first hour were 222,000 shares.

Reading added two more points during the early afternoon, selling at 96 1/4. General Electric sold up 1/4 at 174 1/2.

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## DOERFLINGER'S

### Specials For Friday and Saturday FROM OUR Women's Ready-to-Wear Department

Every woman who has a Suit want should call here tomorrow or Saturday—the two last days of our great

## HALF PRICE WOMEN'S SUIT SALE

Remember, \$40.00 Women's Suits for these two days

**\$20.00**

Remember, \$25.00 Women's Suits for these two days

**\$12.50**

Remember, \$35.00 Women's Suits for these two days

**\$17.50**

Remember, \$15.00 Women's Suits for these two days

**\$7.50**

**SUITS at  
HALF PRICE**

Remember, \$10.00 Women's Suits for these two days

**\$5.00**

**SUITS at  
HALF PRICE**

### Women's Coats

Our line of Women's Coats is very complete, and we kindly ask you to call and see the line. Price up from

**\$4.98**

### Women's Shirt Waists

Our showing of Shirt Waists is the greatest ever shown in La Crosse. Thousands upon thousands of Shirt Waists to make selections from. It will do you good just to call and see the numberless amount of waists we are showing. Price range

**69c, 98c and up to \$12.50**

### Women's Summer Dresses

For tomorrow and Saturday we are offering one big line of Summer Dresses, regular values, for

**\$1.98**

## The Home Sewing Week Sale Launches These Special Friday Bargains

9c yard for 12½c 36 inch White Plisse Crepe.  
10c yard for 15c 27 inch White Dimity Checks.  
12½c yard for 15c 27 inch Ripplette Seersuckers.  
19c yard for 25c 27 in. White Mercerized Poplins.  
44c yard for 59c 36 in. Arbutus Crepe de Chines.  
79c yard for \$1.50 44 inch White Embroidered Flouncings.

**36 inch White  
Tropical Suiting  
yard  
15c**

A snow white cotton suiting or skirting—a material you can tub like muslin.

10c yard for 15c 36 inch White Pajama Checks.  
12½c yard for 15c 27 inch Stripe Tissue Gingham.  
10c yard for 15c 32 inch Dress Gingham, 1 to 10 yard lengths.  
25c yard for \$1.00 42 inch Tan Ratine Suiting.  
39c yard for \$1.25 40 in. Colored Cotton Velours.  
75c yard for \$1.00 44 in. Black Storm Serge.

## Baby Welfare Hints

### No. 3—Baby's Bed and Bed Clothing

A white enameled iron crib is the best bed for the baby. It should be so situated as to be out of the way of drafts.

A hair mattress is better than one of feathers, as the latter is too warm. A coarse, heavy blanket which may be washed when necessary may be used as a mattress.

The mattress should be protected by a piece of rubber sheeting or some waterproof cloth. This should be about a foot and a half long and wide enough to stretch across the mattress from side to side and tuck in under the edges. Over this should be placed a double undersheet, or if rubber sheeting is used and this feels cold, a quilted pad may be put between this and the sheet.

The bedclothes should be long enough and wide enough to tuck in well under the mattress at the sides and at the foot.

A pillow is not necessary. The bed should be level, or a little higher at the head than at the foot. After the child is taken up in the morning, the windows should be opened and the bedclothes, mattress and room should be thoroughly aired. Be sure that the room has regained its normal temperature and the bedclothing is free from all dampness before the child is again put in the crib.

A trained nurse from the Vanta Vest Co. is in attendance in our Infants' Dept. She has some valuable advice for you—Come.



**Vanta Twistless Tape**

best for lingerie and baby dresses. Used in fastening the pinless—buttonless

**Vanta Baby Garments**

COME IN AND SEE THEM

FREE During Baby Week—We will give to every mother making a purchase in our Infants' department

**A Beautiful Baby Cup**

## Our Grocery Has No Dissatisfied Customers! Here Are Several Reasons

Oranges—Large, juicy Valencia  
Oranges, each ..... **13/4c**  
Limit four. None to children. Delivered with other groceries.

Tomatoes—Bull Head brand Tomatoes, No. 3 can for ..... **10c**

Peas—Springtime brand, No. 2 can Peas for ..... **7 1/2c**

Blackberries—No. 2 can choice pie fruit for ..... **7 1/2c**

Peaches—No. 10 can Michigan pie fruit for ..... **25c**

Ask the salesman in the Grocery Department how you can get a \$2.50 Aluminum Coffee Percolator absolutely Free.

Flour—49 pound bag Grandad Fancy Patent Flour ..... **\$1.70**  
\$2.00 worth of extra stamps free.

Catsup—Van Camp's Bordeaux brand 15 ounce bottle Catsup for ..... **10c**

Prunes—Choice California Prunes, pound ..... **7 1/2c**

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## HIGH SCHOOL AT SPARTA GOES ON OLD SCHOOL SITE

Big Fight for New Perch Lake Site Is Finally Lost and Bonds to Be Sold for New Building

### ATTORNEYS THREATEN MANDAMUS

If Bonds for New Building Are Not Offered for Sale and Board Then Takes Action

SPARTA, Wis., May 18.—(Special)—As the time for the annual school meeting draws near, the question of building a new school house in Sparta and where it is to be built, again comes to the front and is a topic of great interest to every citizen in the district.

### Sisters Buy Land

A few years ago the sisters of the convent here purchased a tract of land on the east side of the city near Perch Lake, intending to erect a building there for their domestic science school. Later, the school was moved from this city and the sisters sold their land to a committee appointed to select a site for the new high school.

The site includes about twenty acres, is beautifully laid out, and is in direct line south with the state school property, so the new school building could face Franklin street. The ground has been leveled and the baseball grounds and tennis courts have been located there for some time.

### Not Centrally Located

Some objections were raised last year to building on the new site, the principal one being that it was not centrally located.

At a second school meeting, called last year, it was voted down and was carried by a small majority, to build on the present high school property. After this meeting the building committee and school board met August 24, 1915; discussed the question but took no action. The next meeting of the committee and board was held May 5. At this meeting the majority favored the issuing and sale of the \$75,000 bonds authorized, and it was then decided to ask for tentative plans from six architects for the building desired.

The board and committee could then know if there is room on the grounds now owned by the district within that block for the building they want.

### To Sell Bonds

May 9 the board received a letter from Attorneys Graves and Masters, stating that some persons threatened to bring an action of mandamus to force the board to issue the bonds, though no threat was made, as to forcing the building on the present site.

The board met again on May 10, at 10 a. m., and by a majority of two to one voted to issue the bonds authorized. The same will be sold to the highest bidder, May 26, 1916.

### Memorial Day Plans

A meeting of representatives of John W. Lynn post and Sparta camp, No. 17, of the Spanish War veterans, was held at the court house Friday evening to talk over the plans for observing Memorial day.

Committees were appointed and the program for the day's exercises will soon be ready.

### Masons Meet

Master Masons will have degree work at their meeting in Masonic hall this evening.

### Purchase Brick

Vitrified brick for the new paving on West Montgomery street has been purchased from a firm in Galesburg, Ill. It will be delivered about June 1st.

Two blocks will be paved, from North Court street to Merrill.

### Local and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Ayers, who have been spending the winter in the west, returned to their home in this city Saturday. They took in the San Francisco exposition, visited in Washington and stopped on their return trip to visit their sons in Montana.

Mr. and Mrs. William Meyer have returned home from a winter's sojourn in Sacramento, Cal.

Mrs. Lorena Leavitt and Mrs. Evaline Leavitt of West Salem have been guests of Mrs. William Hewitt.

Harley W. Jefferson of the Jefferson Leaf Tobacco company, is taking a three weeks' trip, going first to New York city, then to Washington, D. C., where he will attend the national convention of leaf tobacco men, and then to Virginia, where he will visit at his old home.

This afternoon the Woman's Foreign Missionary society met at 2:30 o'clock. Program was in charge of Mrs. D. J. McTavish. Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Webb.

A Sunday school was organized Monday night at the school house at Logansville, under the direction of Rev. D. J. McTavish, Sunday school missionary. Mr. McTavish preached there three evenings of last week and will be there again next Sunday.

Mrs. H. A. Clarke of Tomah visited friends here this week.

F. Kelly of Sparta has been in Prairie du Chien organizing a class to go into the Modern Woodmen of America.

Mrs. Paul Dalabo was called to Estherville, Iowa, Sunday by the death of her brother-in-law, John M. Baker.

The Home Study club met this week with Mrs. Grace Jones at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Jones.

William Byers of Sparta was a Tomah caller Sunday.

The Sparta athletes were unable

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to play at Kendall last Sunday, as was planned, on account of the bad weather.

Mrs. Perham visited relatives and friends in Tomah Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Elsie Waterman, who has been visiting friends in North La Crosse, has returned to her home in this city.

Mrs. Hinton will entertain a company of friends Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Hotel Sidney.

Mrs. William Hewitt went to Milwaukee today for a week's visit with relatives and friends.

A. J. Jewett has returned from

Mathew, where he looked after business interests and visited his son and family.

### Homer, Minn.

HOMER, Minn., May 18.—(Special.)—Mrs. Elmira Taintor went to Winona the latter part of the week for a visit at the home of her brother, J. B. Keeler.

A number from here attended the funeral on Friday afternoon of the late Willard Harrison, whose death occurred Tuesday night, at his home on Pleasant Ridge.

Mrs. G. M. Hill of Winona spent Monday with relatives here.

Some of the pupils of our school took the eighth grade examinations Thursday and Friday.

Two auto loads went from here

to Pickwick Friday evening to attend the special meeting of Pickwick chapter No. 191, O. E. S. Three candidates, Mesdames C. C. Varnum, O. F. Nelson and F. S. Taintor were initiated into the order.

Mr. Smith of Winona has purchased the general merchandise stock of E. E. Smith of this village and has already assumed charge.

E. E. Smith and family will continue to make this their home, during the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. William Miller were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. William Nowlan at Wiscoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Donaldson, who recently came here from Montana, have taken the Donaldson cottage for the summer months.

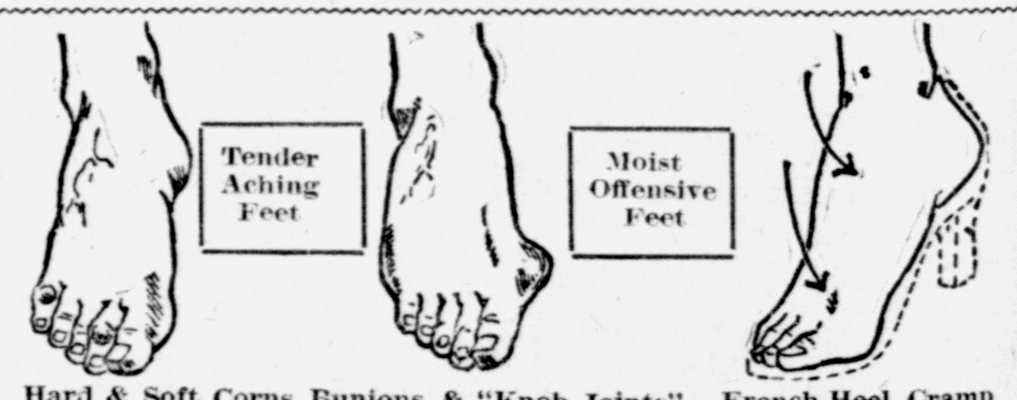
Mrs. Oscar Nelson delivered the mail over the rural route several days the past week.

Mrs. Margaret Tuell of Winona was a week-end visitor with relatives here.

The pike-perch eggs recently received at the U. S. fisheries station have all hatched and distribution of the same has been made at different points, as well as the planting of some in the waters of the Mississippi at this point.

### OSHKOSH WANTS PARADE

OSHKOSH, Wis., May 18.—Mayor Mulva has started a movement for a preparedness parade in this city. He has called a conference of various military organizations to make plans for the parade.



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